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A section of the large crowd at the races on Saturday.

Obituary

NOTED JAPANESE STATESMAN DIES

THE DEATH has occurred of Mr. Hirosi Saito, former Japanes Ambassador to the United States, at the age of 52 .--

Mr. Saito was Japanese Ambassador to Washington from 1934 until last year.

Graduating at the Law College AUDACIOUS LEAFLET Copy Of Kuling

Warning In H.K. PROBABLY THE most asto- London Embassy, and attended the nishing and audacious leaflet yet first League of Nations Assembly at

distributed by the Japanese Geneva in 1920. military forces during the Sino- The following year he was ap-Japanese conflict was that which pointed Consul at Scattle, and in army planes dropped on Kuling 1923 he became Consul-General in on January 19, three days after In 1930 he was Councillor at the the Japanese had bombed the London Embassy, having served as mountain with high explosives, director of the Information Bureau in in the Foreign Office in 1929. The document, printed English, was remarkable, both for its grammatical construction, for some time, and then, in 1934, and its "terms".

In it, the Japanese alleged that the army and navy authorities, in conjunction with third Powers, had agreed that henceforth foreigners in Kulling had forefeited their nationality; that they were regarded as sympathisers of the Chiang Kai-shek regune, and therefore would have to take the consequences of a Japanese offensive against Kuling.

The leaslet, however, tells its own story more effectively, the following being a copy recently received in Hongkong from a Kuling resident: "TO ALL FOREIGNERS

REMAINING AT LUSHAN"

"Despite the warning during the to have been killed in a clash campaign for the attack of Lushan between Federal troops and a that the army has requested you band of 100 well-armed marauoften to come down the mountain ders at La Palma in the Sinaloa in anticipation of your being endangered, you failed to listen to our State. sincere warning remaining there,

"It has been decided at the con- ing mountains. ference between the army and navy! An unconfirmed report says that and the third Power authorities on General Menchaea, chief of the December 6, 1938, at Kluklang that. Federal troops in charge of the operayou be regarded to have separated tions was also killed. from your respective nationality The movement is stated to be and have united yourselves with isolated, and was in no way organised. Chiang Kai-shek regime. -Renter. -The army, will before long, taunch a complete offensive operation against the remnants around the Lushan area.

"IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED"

"That the army assumes no responsibility hereafter for a serious danger which might be inflict- the Kuling residents until three days ed on you in connection with this later. operation.

"January 16, 1939. On behalf of raided the mountain resort and the Imperial Japanese Army. dropped many bombs, causing a con- ported to be much improved to-day. It is assumed that he will work for Although the leastet was dated siderable amount of damage to January. 16, it was not showered upon foreign property.

SYDNEY, Feb. 26. WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.

He had a distinguished career.

of Tokyo Imperial University,

he entered the diplomatic service

and became an Attache at

Washington in 1910. He was

third secretary to the Japanese

member of the suite to the delega-

tion to the Peace Conference at Paris

He became second secretary at the

was appointed Ambassador

RIOTING IN

MEXICO

43 Killed In La

Palma Fighting

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 26.

FORTY-THREE are reported

4. and "Citadel" on March 17.

Instead, on the 16th, the Japanese

Washington.

Embassy in London in 1918, and a

programme.

Australia Repeals

TO PAY FOR WAR!

last summer and provided for and France.—Reuter. medical benefits under a contributory scheme which itwas estimated, would cost the .Government nearly £2,000,-000 in the first four years. Renter.

DRINK AND TOBACCO **TABOO**

BERLIN, Feb. 26. GERMANY'S YOUNG He was Minister to the Netherlands PEOPLE are expected to dry", although there is question of prohibition being trance to Downing Street guarded introduced to the country. according to a "Trans-Ocean'

A campaign is now in progress for waving Spanish flags .- Reuter. the purpose of fighting immoderate use of alcohol and tobacco, and in reply to queries whether this campaign is aimed at the establishment of prohibition in Germany, a statement has been issued by the Reich with Colonel Beck this afternoon. Public Health Board pointing out that in 1938, Germany spent seven milliard The consumption of these two

commodities increases from year to caused by misuse of the two luxuries. interests of her French ally. Such a course of development public health is to be jeopardised. The death roll comprised three

bandits dispersing in the neighbour- Germany. The principles advocated against the misuse of alcohol and tobacco a Polish-Hungarian frontier. leaves the healthy adult free to live frontier as a potential source of moderately or abstemicusly. Youth, however, is expected to re-

frain from the use of alcohol and

At the forthcoming Reich congress, U.S. DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENT it is intended to inaugurate popular Two special M.G.M. productions discussion on these problems with will be screened at the Queen's and the object of putting a stop in due Alhambra Theatres as follows: "The course to any increase in the con-

NORMA SHEARER IMPROVING

-Trans-Ocean.

Norma Shearer, who is Ill, is re- tions with German official circles, and and she had a botter night.-Reuter, Reuter.

Street Skirmish PARIS, Feb. 26.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY

FINE WILL NOT permit anyone to touch our Empire built with the blood and labour of Frenchmen. We will maintain our sovereignty and territory intact."

These words were spoken by M. Georges Bonnet in a speech at Gourdon to-day, when he explained that recognition of the Franco Government was necessary because France wanted neighbourly relations with Spain. She wished to reestablish commercial rela-Health Legislation tions with her, and did not wish to have a new frontier to defend.

M. Bonnet said that at the ACCORDING TO the same time as Ffanco-German 'Sydney Morning Herald," the I relations were improving, Anglo-Federal Cabinet has decided | French relations were becoming to repeal the National Insur- linereasingly close, and the reance Act owing to the high cent speeches of Viscount cost of Australia's defence Halifax and Mr. Chamberlain showed the whole world the The Act came into force | complete solidarity of Britain

LONDON DEMONSTRATION

London, Feb. 26. The British decision to recognise General Franco, which is expected to be announced to-morrow, had a |boisterous sequel at Whitehall this afternoon.

A demonstration of protest against the Government's action held in Trafalgar Square, was addressed by Mr. Clement Attlee, Mr. Herbert Morrison and Miss Ellen Wilkinson, and interrupted by protagonists of

the Popular Front. A resolution was passed viewing the Government's policy "with shame and abhorrence."

The crowd desired to march to Luxuries, Say Nazis Downing Street, but Mr. Attlee and Mr. Morrison and other leaders took the resolution to No. 10 Downing Street by taxi.

The Labour crowd followed foot, shouting slogans. Upon arrival they found the en-

by mounted police, There was nothing more serious than one small skirmish between the police and a group of demonstrators

ITALY SEEKS SUPPORT FROM POLAND

Warsaw, Feb. 26. Count Clano had 'a conversation Reports that Count Ciano pressed for a definition of the Polish attitude towards Italian claims against France reichmarks on alcohol and tobacco. lend special interest to Colonel Beck's speech last night, which interpreted as a hint that Poland has year, and is accompanied by a no intention of giving tacit support corresponding increase of damage to a policy which might injure the

must be checked, says the statement, to obtain a clear statement of Signor unless, in an irresponsible manner, Mussolini's attitude towards the extension of Germany's commercial high figure of 1,010 up to the few days have been hurriedly consular officials.—Domet. There is no question of any and political influence in south-east end of last year. and rather dared to show the Federal officers, ten soldiers, and obligation for total abstinence, or of Europe, since Poland was disappointattitude of supporting the enemy thirty marauders, the remaining the establishment of prohibition in ed by the failure of the Italo-German monthly loss of more than 56 planes French Concessions here. arbitration to award Ruthenia Hungary, which would have created

Polish circles regard the present trouble, and the centre of anti-Polish Ukrainian propaganda.-Reuter.

Berlin, Feb. 26.

Political circles welcome the appointment of Mr. Raymond Geist, Great Waltz" commencing on March sumption of these injurious luxuries. Arst secretary at the American Embassy, to the post of Charge d'Affaires, replacing the late Mr. Prentiss

It is emphasised that Mr. Geist, who has been in Berlin for eight Hollywood, Feb. 26. years, enjoys the best personal rela-Her temperature was down to 100, a German-American agreement-

27,



C. ENCARNACAO, who rode three winners at the opening day of the Annual Race meeting at Happy Valley .- Staff Photographer.

Shanghai Tension

NANKING'S "SILENT" DECLARATION OF WAR

Japanese Circle Settlement With "Live" Barbed-Wire

TOKYO, Feb. 26. "WE CANNOT but announce a silent declaration of war against the Shanghai International Settlement, and British and French vessels which are nothing but an extension of the Settlement in assisting the Chiang Kai-shek regime with the Yangtse as a base," declares, a statement issued by the Japanese-sponsored Nanking Government, according to the "Domei News Agency."

JAPANESE TERRIFIC AIR LOSS

OHUNGKING, Feb. 27. DOUS strain on the Japanese regime." Air Force, a spokesman of the Chinese Air Force in an interning of the war, the total num- the Japanese requests.-Reuter. ber of Japanese planes shot Colonel Beck would doubtless like down, destroyed, severely damaged, or otherwise lost reached the

> throughout the eighteen months since the start of hostilities in July, 1937. further suffered the loss of 24 planes, notice,---Reuter. including fifteen heavy bombers of the Intest type recently bought from Europe, bringing the grand total to 221 were shot down by the Chinese more than 1,030 machines.

aggerated estimate, the spokesman ground, 83 were shot down by pointed out. As a matter of fact, the Chinese anti-aircraft guns during number tallies with that announced raids, 107 were destroyed by Chinese by the Japanese Air Force head- and troops, 110 were destroyed by guards for British interests and the quarters on January 20 last them- Chinese artillery, 19 were forced selves, which stated that 710 military down behind Chinese lines, 27 were and moval planes were lost and 300 damaged, forced down and reported more were damaged and rendered still missing, and 363 were lost in unfit for service during the period.

measure against further outbreaks of have decided to lodge a second proterroristic demonstrations."

brand British and French vessels and attitude of co-operation with the the International Settlement as an enemy if Britain and France don't the event, however, the latter dereconsider a change in the attitude REVEALING THE TREMEN- of assisting the Chiang Kai-shek dealing with the present situation,

in Shanghai are apparently dissatisview with the Central News fled with what they describe as the lukewarm measures of the Municipal disclosed that since the begin- Council, and the Council's reply to Japanese Fleet in China Waters, was

SETTLEMENT BESIEGED Tlentsin, Feb. 26.

erecting barriendes and installing live This figure, he said, represents a electric wires round the British and

Exits from the Concessions, through With the opening of the current which communication is now allowyear, the Japanese air force has ed, could be closed at a moment's

nir force in midnir, 170 were destroy-Nor was the above figure an ex- ed by the Chinese air force on the mishaps and accidents.

AGREE

LONDON, Feb. 26. THE EXECUTIVE of the Jewish Agency has decided to reject the British plan for the pacification of Palestine.

The proposals, which the British Government will submit to the Palestine conference tomorrow are understood to have been considered at a prolonged meeting of the Arab delegates last night.

The main feature of the proposals. it is understood, will be the sugges-tion of a round table conference to be held in the autumn on the lines of the round table conferences which preceded the new constitutions in India and Egypt, and invitations to the conference will be issued by the King on behalf of the Government, not only to political representatives of Palestine and Britain, but also to

constitutional experts.

It is suggested that the British representation also include members of the opposition parties, in order to place the future Palestine policy

above party politics.

It is believed that British Government has expressed the desire to see self-government established in Palestine, although it has clearly Indicated that it does not favour immediate establishment.

Subjects for discussion at the conference would doubtless include not only those on which agreement has been found impossible during the present talks, but also on the question of a treaty with Britain pro-viding safeguards for British Interests in Palestine, and for the various

communities. Meanwhile, it is understood that it is proposed to extend the advisory and executive councils to include unofficial members, both Jew and Arab, nominated by the High Commissioner. Unofficial members of the executive council, whose title

LATEST

Japanese Lodge Second Protest

Shanghal, Feb. 27. It was understood that the Municipal Council's reply to the first Japanese protest which was handed to Consul-General Miura by Chairman C. S. Franklin of the Council on Saturday falling to satisfy them, The statement announces that the the Japanese military, naval and Nanking Government has detailed consular authorities, following antroops and militiamen round the other emergency conference aboard Settlement as a "precautionary the flagship Idzumo on Sunday,

test with the Municipal Council. It is pointed out that the Japanese It adds: "We won't hesitate to authorities were still maintaining the Municipal Council in principle. In finitely fails to show "good faith" in "effective, and adequate" measures Meanwhile, the Japanese authorities by taking an "Independent and positive" attitude."

Sunday's emergency conference aboard the Idzumo, flagship of the attended by Vice-Admiral Koshiro Olkawa, Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese Fleet in China Waters, Mr. Yoshlaki Miura, Japanese Counsul-Japanese troops during the past General, and other military, naval and

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may be altered to the Council of Ministers; may be Ministers without

Enquiries in conference circles suggest the immediate formation of an independent State in Palestine. and possibly suggest the immediate formation of a round table conference from delegates already in London to discuss particularly saidcommunities in Palestine, Router

PREMATURE REJOICING Jerumlem, Fob. 20

As a result of rumours liet the As a result of rumours. His other the Palestine conman revealed that of the total of 363, is an under—rather than all fervice, and that an independent over-estimation—Control Name (Continued on Page 4)

ONLY ONE KILT AT SCOTTISH SHOW

THE only kilt at the private view recently of the Scottish Art Exhibition, at the Royal Academy, was in a frame.

The laird had for the occasion changed into morning coat, lavender grey walstcoat, and a pair of spats, said "How d'you do?" and did the social round on the edge of the gilt frames as the English do once a year.

The only Glengarry present was a satin one with a bunch of ospreys in

There was a time-two hundred years ago-when the chleftain was 'so proud of his tartan he even wrapped his feet in it.

The full Highland dress, in a glass case, had tight-fitting trousers with tarton seeks and soles all in one. There is a picture, painted in 1665, of the first kill, rather like a shrunken pettienat, and a pleture of the original golfer. It is William St. Clair, of Roslin, captain of the Honourable one of Australia's greatest landscape Company of Edinburgh Golfers. driving off on the links with a thistle

brecches, a red hunting coat, bows protrait painters. of ribbon above his calf, and his The portrait she submitted was club locked like a long-handled hockey stick. His golf ball is numbered for identification purposes.

RUBY GARLANDS

There is the whole history of Scottish dress in the exhibition from the early days when kilts were garlanded of still-life, especially flowers and with rubies round the waist and the blade of the dick was sharp, to the i deepd at '80's when the tartan was a dressing-gown and the chieffain wore a white cloth like an icebag round his head.

Nearly all the portraits are of men ---they seem to have possessed all the i beauty and vanity of the period. Prince Charles once danced with; and to trace the heirs of the mortgagor a still-life of grouse and fruit.

For the first time in history the Archibald Prize, recognised as the guardon of Australian art, has been won by a woman. She is Miss Nora Heysen, daughter of Hans Heysen,

The Archibald Prize is worth about £450. In winning it, Miss Heysen wore black velvet knee defeated some of Australia's leading

Madame Elink Schuurmann, wife of the Comul-General for the Nether-

Miss Heysen, who recently returned from London, was not formerly well-known as a portrait painter, but was regarded as an eminent exponent

Mortgage Runs 138 Years'

Dallas, Pa. Altorneys have discovered an unsettled, 138-year-old mortgage on 120 There is a piece of embroidery acres now occupied by the College of worked by Mary Queen of Scots that Misericordia here which calls for an to obtain clear litle to the land.

Compensation

CONSIDERABLE number of questions dealing with the Far East were asked in the House of Commons for England recently, was asked by recently. The question of claims for compensation received from Twntieth Century Films to appear on British firms in China was raised by Sir Charles Cayzer, as fol- the New York, stage for one week. lows:---

amounts totalling over £230,000, on Government propose to make any

settlement of these claims?

mate total cost of the damage sus- to be exported from Tsingtao when to now.

Government? · Mr. Butter: Their receipt has Mr. Butter: There have been

There were also a number of ter to his Japanese colleague, who

international law the Japanese Gov- The system of export permits has in alon after his abdication.

Mr. Butler: The Japanese allege by the movements of third-party

Commander Marsden asked the Prime Minister whether he has received any statement from the Japanese Government on the question of the reopening of the Yangtsz: the Yangisze basin to foreign ship-

been received from the Japanese quent to their note of 14th November, 1938. Further evidence of Japanese trading on the Yangtsze Ltd. was communicated to the Japanese When, after an hour's work, the Minister, for Foreign Affairs by His | man was reached, he was dead.

14th January last, Commander Marsden: In view of row. the fact that the Japanese are trad- He was in charge of mixing the of his mates. "By an extraordinary industry was committed to the hire of ing on the river and are advertising materials for the night shift work. for passengers and goods for transport, will my right hon. Friend see In the factory vast quantities of that our ships have the same very fine sand and other materials

privileges? the evidence submitted by His neek of the funnel checks the flow. Majesty's Ambassador,

Mr. Alexander: Are we to under- charge frees it with a long pole; some- . Thirty wild geese, of half a dozen stand that the Government acquiesce times, however, if he thinks he can different varieties, which took refuge in the holding up of British shipping; make it flow more easily he jumps on on the Spaulding wildfowl refuge tar spreaders here now must take out and are they going to do nothing the sand in the mouth of the hopper, after being wounded by hunters, automobile licenses, it was announ-

Mr. Butler: No. Sir.



British Gracie's No' To time. The trenches were expected to overflow, The A.R.P. department of St. Firms in China

.. CHINA AND JAPAN

Sir Charles Cayzer asked the Prime | Minister whether, in view of the re- ditions. Monister the number and the extent solution adopted By the League o'They are asking me to do four of claims for compensation received Council, on 20th January, inviting shows daily," she raid "but if New from British firms in China in rest the members of the League to York audiences want to see what I

Friend hold out any hope of an early tion, but I am not able to make a Hollywood. settlement of these claims? detailed statement at present.

Mr. Butter: My hon. Fr.end will a aware that claims of this kind are

Sir Henry Morris-Jones: Can my with reference to the refusal of the "Maybe later they'll get to know

aports in China?

been acknowledged by the Japanese cases in recent months in which the Government. Mr. Thorne: Is it not true that have refused to permit exports,

the Japanese have made a declara- either on the ground mentioned by Mr. Butler: I should not like to sul-General at Tsingtao has made frequent representations in the metaccept such a general statement.

questions dealing with Japanese has pleaded military necessity as the interference with legitimate British justification for the action taken. Dolice chief at Windsor Castle, tendo interests trade interests. Commander Marsden asked the by His Majesty's Ambassador at of the few who knew beforehand that Prime Minister under what rule of Tokyo.

ernment are taking action to prevent recently been extended to Weihaiweil Inspector Dear served twenty-six British vessels from using the Pearl and Chefoo, where the situation is years in the force and was appointed River as the natural means of ap- being closely watched. proach to the British concession at Shameen?

that they are conducting military operations which would be impeded shipping.

Mr. Butler: No statement has a mixer.

more about 137

A.R.P. TRENCHES THERE was 5ft. 6ins. of muddy water in A.R.P.

is no better than the rest but drew annual pyament of 90 bushels of trenches on Primrose Hill, N.W., recently forty days a bigger crowd; an evening gown that wheat. College officials are seeking after the Home Office circular to local authorities asking Prince Charles once denced with and to trace the being of the most rooms them to make trenches permanent by steel and concrete who live in nurseries crowded with F1321. Two Sleepy People, ("Thanks For The Memory".) F.T. reconstruction. The flood was rising, all the

St. Moritz, famed summer and winter resort of the Swiss Alps.

brings many noted persons together from throughout the world.

Yugo-Slavia, shown as he surveyed the winter activities.

A recent visitor there was Dr. Milan Stoyadinovitch, Premier of

4 Shows A Day Paneras Borough Council, who are responsible for the trenches, said:

Los Angeles, Calif.

And Gracie was willing-on con-

pect of destruction of their property examine the proposals of the Chinese can do, I must give 'em my whole by Japaner, military action? Government for certain measures of bag of tricks and two shows a day Mr. Butlet: Nearly 300 claims for economic assistance, H.s. Majesty's will be enough."

account of destruction, confiscation, response to the request of the Gracie added that Mr. Daryl damage or looting, have so far been Chinese Government for assistance? Zanuck wanted her to stay in Holly- But beat authorities are debating been presented to the Japanese Mr. Butter: Certain proposals of make her next two films in England, ches cave in Government. the Chinese Government for econo- Then, if her contract was con- Further up Primrose Hill are other Sir C. Cayrer: Can my right hon, mic assistance are under considera- tinued, she might agree to work in trenches dug by order of Hampstead

"I'm afraid if I came here for good, Hollywood might make me half and usually settled at the end of hostili- | Mr. R. Morgan asked the Prime half and use the wrong halves," she Minister what action he has taken said.

right bon. Friend give the approxi- Japanese authorities to allow goods me better; in fact they're beginning

the exports have been financed "A few weeks back I felt it was Mr . Butler:-I cannot do more through foreign bankers by means useless to do splits and cartwheels than give the amount of the claims, of Chinese national currency; and for American applause. But now, if quest. It is a bit early to say yet Mr. A. V. Alexander: What reply whether such refusal has been ex- they'll let me do my job in my own has been received from the Japanese tended to any other and, if so, what way, I'll get 'em to like me as well ches." as English folks do."

He Guarded

. Duke was to broadcast to the

Japanese authorities at Tsingtao tion that they will not pay com- my hon. Friend or without assign- Windsor Castle hensation for damaged property?

Inspector Edmund Dear retired recently from his nost as Metropolitan The matter has also been taken up to the Duke of Windsor and was one A.R.P. grants.

to Windsor Castle in 1934. Sucked Under By Tons Of Sand In A Mixer

WITH a doctor standing by, a gang of men worked River, and the inland waterways of desperately at Greenford, Middlesex, recently, to rescue a fellow-workman who was buried in 18 tons of sand in

The drama was at the works to flow. As Martindale landed the

Majesty's Ambassador in Tokyo on He was Richard Martindale, aged 14th January last. 32, of Wellington-road, Roxeth, Har-

"NOT A CHANCE"

are poured into the mixers through a Mr. Butter: That is the reason for gigantle funnel, sometimes the narrow Imports Wild Geese Usually when this occurs the man in That is what Martindale did but a have been supped to Peter Scott, and by Chief Police Prosecutor Gerald second before his feet touched the British ornithologist, who asked that Pilliod. The licenses cost \$200 and Mr. A. Henderson usked the Prime sand, the sand freed liself and started 80 such birds be sent him if possible. \$300.

CHECKING FLOW

building and started to dig frantically, ; yesterday, "It was only the smallest chance that cost Martindale his life," sald one furers' Association explained that the coincidence the sand started to flow Olympia, so that unless the exhibition ns Martindale jumped. It was as were held it would mean a financial though he was going down in quick- | loss. sand. He did not stand a chance,"

Willows, Cal.

roofing this specimen section, we University. shall go into the question of costs the Home Office."

That is typical of the attitude of was to enable local authorities which night before." indopted it to go ahead with the work swithout further reference to the Home Office

WATCHMAN GUARDS

Barough Council.

mud and water. Hampstead Borough Council's A.R.P. department say: "The council are considering the question in the light of the Home Office re-

Half-finished trenches James's Park, near the Admiralty. are railed off from the public walks. Notice boards read: "It is dangerous

to go near these trenches." The depth of water in them is about 2ft. Westminster City Council are uncertain about their future. They say: "Some are to |

be filled in, some are not." The council, like other authorities, are counting the cost of making trenches permanent. They are He was formerly personal detective afraid of exceeding Home Office

The Home Office circular issued on November 25 informed local authorities that they could count on obtaining a twelve-year loan sanction for expenditure involved. including that on preliminary work, and claim A.R.P. grants at the appropriate rate on the annual

A.R.P. expenditure, including that on trenches, is borne up to 60 per cent, by the Government and ap to 40 per cent, by the local nuthority.

The twelve-year loan sanction was believed to have been adopted to deal with semi-permanent work.

RADIOLYMPIA THIS YEAR There will be a Radiolympia, after

The scheme for a £50,000 cooperative advertising compaign to replace it was turned down by a Men rushed from all parts of the meeting of radio manufacturers

Officials of the Radio Manufac-

Concrete Mixers Taxed

Celeviand, O. All owners of concrete mixes and

Modern Toys "Too Perfect"

Your children probably play with mechanically-perfect toys, realistic dolls, and teddy-bears. But are they as happy and carefree as you were with less elaborate things to amuse

Miss Ethel Strudwick, headmistress of St. Paul's Girls' School, who describes herself as "a thoroughly old-fashioned woman" thinks not.

Speaking at the Public Health Conference in London recently, she said:

"When I think of an old carpenter's bench in the corner of my father's studio on which was perched a doll's house consisting of a wooden box on end, I wonder whether this newfound passion for giving children baby dolls exactly like the real thing, or teddy-bears all glorious with plush, is really making them happier than did the old make-believe toys which left so much to the imagination."

THIS REALISTIC AGE

Miss L. H. Crocker, of the Ploneer Health Centre, Peckham, commenting to the News Chronicle on this statement admitted its truth, but added:

"Miss Strudwick's statement is no argument against a realistic doll. When she was a child she probably had some lovely toys herself, but she remembers only those most familiar to her and those she used for her own imaginative purposes.

"We live in an age of skill, so the child of this age must have technically perfect toys or be separated from the reality of his environment. WATER IN LONDON'S Miss Strudwick, asked to reply to this, observed:

"I had not levely toys, and did not children of to-day do not live in a simpler age, for their own sakes, poor

"I notice that children who are simply brought up to know the real pleasures of fresh air and the open | F1320. country are much happier than those elaborate mechanical toys."

Dances Till 2 a.m. To Pass Exams.

Paneras Borough Council, who are Stanley, Co. Durham. Few people can hope to win one "We are at present experimenting with other trenches in Regent's open scholarship at Oxford or Cam-Park. One section there is being bridge, but Joan Charlton, 18-yearsennereted. When we have ascer- old daughter of a Stanley colliery tained the cost of concreting and clerk, has just won two-one at each

And on the eve of both examinafor the whole trench system with tions site danced until two in the

"Swotting before examinations is That is typical of the attitude of dangerous," she said. "When I was local authorities all over the country. The object of the Home Office plan but now I always go and dance the It was Joan's first attempt to win

scholarship. Turns Into

Cookstown, Australia. Bitten on the foot by a snake, Wil-A watchman stood beside them. liam Howard reached down for a His job was to stop children falling stick with which to kill it, but the in-because if they had fallen in "stick" turned out to be another they might have drowned in the snake, which bit him on the arm.



had done as I was toldwouldn't have

this nasty coldi



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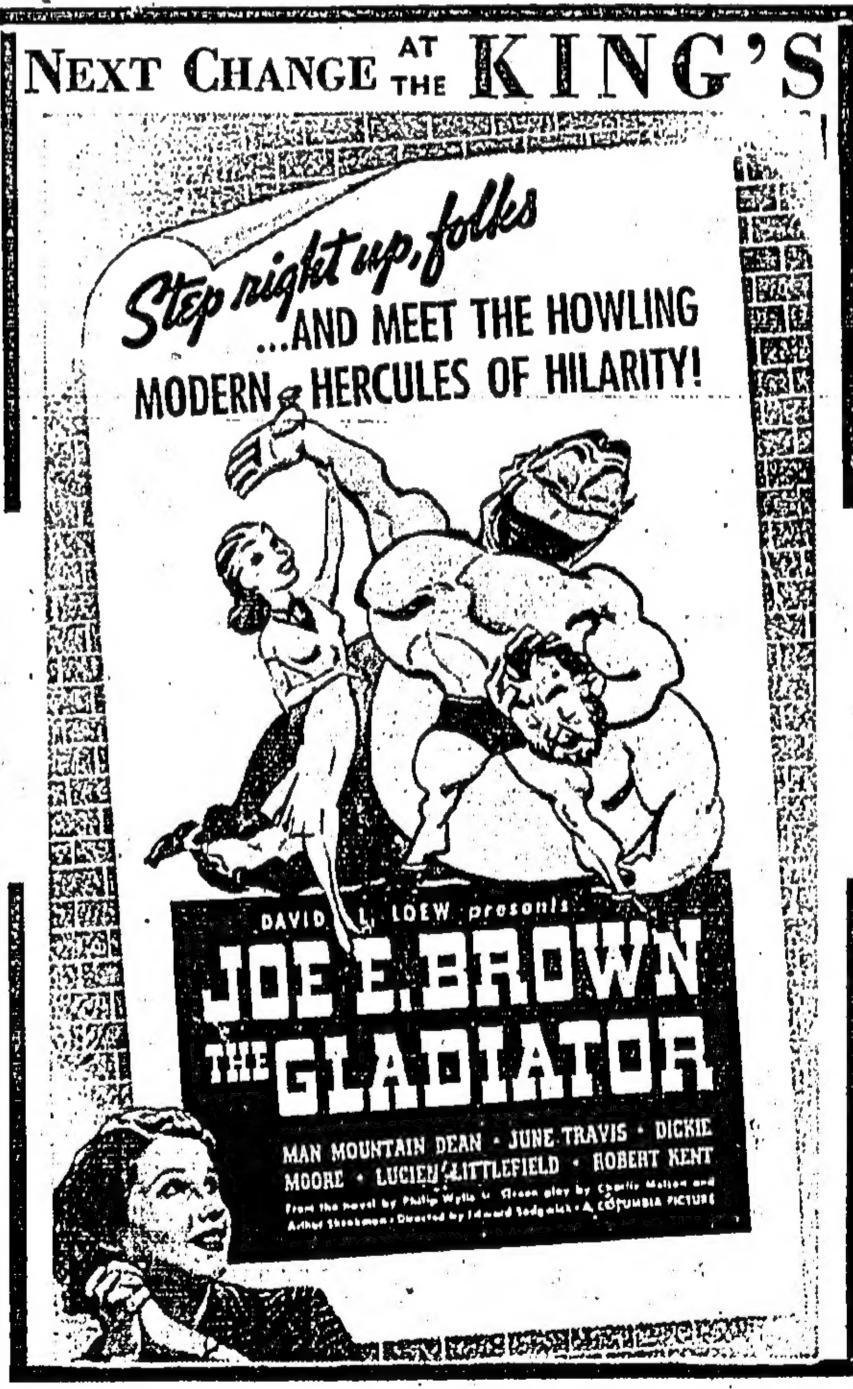
> You're Lovely Madame. ["Stranded In Paris".) F.T. What Have You Got That Gets Mc. F.T. KAY KYSER & HIS ORCHESTRA. F1303. I've Got A Pocketful of Dreams. ("Sing You Sinners".) Q.S.

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CANTON AGEN 13

for the

Hongkong Telegraph

WM. FARMER & 'Victoria Hotel Building. Shameen, Canton.

WHILE three new British films are packing cinemas only 10 per cent, active. Why is this?

seems to be "The Citadel," Woman's Record As FLOUR EXCISE TAX which was seen by 130,000 Woman's Record As people at the Empire, Leicestersquare, W., in one week.

'PYCMALION' RECORD End play going for more than five months.

"Sixty Glorious Years," generally 'Airlines of Australia. by many halls,

"Pygmalion" has broken box-office in Stag Lane. records at Hastings, Brighton, Coventry, Chesterfield and Luton. the largest hall in Sydney, N.S.W., has booked it for a three months

Yet to-day only eight films are be-30 in 1936.

This paradoxical prosperity is 13. striking. The answer is simply one of finance.

CITY IS SHY

the attitude of a man who, having transport section. gold mines."

1939 will probably see a change in convoy driving, and driving as a charge in body. the backing of British films. Instead of financing productions costing £ 100,000 on the doubtful gamble of this grade are already planned by lies Mr. Michael Balcon at Ealing, Mr. Walter Mycroft at Elstree, and Mr. Edward Black at the Gainsborough studies.

BABIES IN COLD STORAGE!

save the lives of five bables who day of his honeymoon. collapsed during a heat wave at Griffith, N.S.W.

placed in the Griffith Producers' cool could be hiding. stores, where a moderate temperature was specially maintained.

Their parents sat beside the bables from New York. during a week-end.

Ground Engineer

This audience would keep a West certificate of a ground engineer, be- tax on flour to finance the subsidy who is Queensland Traffic Manager of | bushel.

released recently, is taking on the air-liaison officer with the R.A.A.F., total production, and the overseas average 35 per cent, more than in London 10 years ago, his wife, who price is now the equivalent only of "Victoria the Great." It has been has always been intensely interested is, 10d, a bushel. As was inevitable, booked solid for four and five weeks in aeroplanes, trained for her certibakers have had to pass on the flour ficate with the de Haviland Company tax to the bread consumer by in-

> larly clever," said Mrs. Bell, when talking of her award. "My number was 444, which | general taxation revenue. obtained certificates before me."

A GREAT HELP

With her qualifications, Mrs. Bell should be of great help to the CENSUS TO BE TAKEN aviation section of the Women's De-The "Ero," official mouthpiece of fence Legion, of which Mrs. E. F. cinema showmen, declares bluntly: Finlay is in charge, and in which The City's confidence has been sadly Mrs. Bell has shown her interest by. The Legislative Council recently shoken. Nevertheless, it is adopting consenting to take charge of the decided to take a census of the island

fuses to deal with the Stock Ex- infancy, plans are being formulated, jected by the Council on the ground change. Having bought gold bricks, for training and drill, and Mrs. Bell of economy, it will not admit the existence of hopes to provide her volunteers with MAURITIUS facilities for driving heavy vehicles,

Women of any age from 17-50 are acceptable as volunteers, if they can costing from £25,000 to £40,000 will cycle, ride a horse or a bicycle, know be encouraged. At least 40 films of accept positions as cleaners or order- Midlands district to reliant to reli

Indian Bride Runs Away

Recently, Arthur Ochiltree, Scot- Labour Department and planters is tish-born New York opera star, bearing fruit. The Government is Unusual measures were taken" to should have been spending the first daily transporting men in special

Instead, he is wondering where his sweetheart, an exotic Indian under-On the advice of doctors they were graduette. Bonnie Bee Berryhill.

While he was making final plans marriage. I have run away."

A telegram to friends told Ochil- strong kid, but I still love her.'

NEWS

AUSTRALIA

SYDNEY. A strong agitation has developed THE honour of being the only in Socialist circles against the Govwoman in Queensland to hold the ernment's imposition of an Excise longs to Mrs. G. R. Bell, who recently to wheat growers. There is to be a arrived in Brisbane with her husband, bocal consumption price of 4s. 8d. a

Wheat used in Australia, only When Squadron-Leader Bell was amounts to about one-third of the

creasing the price by 1s. a 2lb, loaf. "It didn't seem to me particu- ! Labour admits that the wheatgrower must be helped, but contends that this should be done out of

shows that 443 other people had | Physical Education Chief .- Mr. Gordon Young, until recently Direc-Born in Tasmania, Mrs. Bell has tor of Physical Education at the ing made on the 80 British studio spent a lot of time abroad, and next Y.M.C.A. in London, has arrived to floors, as against the peak figure of to aeroplanes, riding is her chief become the first Director of Physical hobby. She has one daughter, aged Education to the New South Wales Government.

NEXT YEAR

Kingston. next year at a cost of £25,000. In been caught by a share-pusher, re- Although the section is yet in its 1931 a request for a census was re-

LAND SETTLEMENT FOR UNEMPLOYED

Port Louis. employment in the sugar cane plantations in the northern and western parts of the island. The drought this year has caused heavy destruction of cane.

The unemployed began a march on the capital, asking for a dole or work, but were stopped by the

The co-operation between the new trains from the workless districts to the less affected areas where work

tree: "I can't go through with the for the marriage, his flancee fled Mr. Ochiltree said: "She is an adorable, spoiled brat and a head-



High enthusiasm greeted French Premier Edouard Daladler as he arrived in Bizerta, Tunisia, to inspect France's Marcth line of fortifications between French North Africa and Italian Libya. Here he is welcomed by Tunisian children.

For 80 Years He

COMBE HAY (near Bath, Somerset). A FTER living in terror of daylight for eighty years, Mr. George Edward Smart, Lord of the Manor of Combe Hay, was carried by villagers to Combe Hay church just after dusk recently to lie in his coffin before the altar in the darkness he loved.

When he was nine years old, his eyes were injured while he was at

Life was unbearable unless he turned day into night, night into day. He died at the age of eighty-nine.

One of the staff of the Manor House of Combe Hay told me to-

room closely shuttered against the daylight. As soon as it was dark he would get up. He generally listened to the radio until midnight.

"Then he would have his lunch and go out for a drive in his car before returning for his tea. Just before dawn he would go back to

In the beautiful gardens of Combe or historic merits, contains blunders Hay Manor, where there is a take, and improbable or ingenious incidents Mr. Smort built an Italian garden calculated to evoke mirth rather than and a grotto of shells which were imagination. sent from all over the world.

shows only at night, long after they the exhibition of the film. had closed for the day.

hardly ever saw their lord of the social gatherings . . . always at manor, he was immensely popular night.

To Be Banned

A Paris Court recently rejected two applications for a ban on the film "Suez" pending legal action. The film is based on a romance wover "Mr. Smart slept all day with his round the building of the Suez Canal, The application was made by M. Paul de Lesseps, a son of Ferdinand de Lesseps, the builder of the canal

and the Marquess de Casa Fuerte, a

grandnephew of Empress Eugenie,

who is represented in the film by Loretta Young. Giving the court's decision, Judge Maillefaud declared: "This film, which has no claim to literary, artistic

"It contains no massage likely to The lake, the grotto and the gar- sully the memory of Eugenie de den he saw only by moonlight. One Montijo and Ferdinand de Lesseps in of his greatest interests was agricul- the mind of the audience. There is ture, but he could visit agricultural therefore, no reason for preventing

"Though foreign, the film very op-He used to go round the cattle portunely recalls that the creation of

His servants had to read to him with them for his generosity. Years anything printed on white paper, ago, in his young days, he made the Though the villagers of Combe Hay manor famous for its parties and

"Private Room On Wheels For Basil And Betty"

A profound change in the relation of the sexes had been brought about by the intention of the automobile, said Professor G. V. Portus, of Adelaide University, to the history section of the Science Congress. Basil could now meet Betty in a private room on wheels, and nobody could say nay, he added,

Club towards artisan members were made at Hastings Town Council meeting recently. The Council was again considering

the club. The proposal was carried by 24 votes to 11. Councillor Riddle, who made charges of snobbery at the council's last meeting, quoted from the letter,

"The other day some of our chaps were playing when four so-called gentlemen cut in. Just as an artisan was taking his shot one of the gentlemen said: 'We are allowed to play

through you.

"ONLY ARTISANS" "The artisan said: 'We are sorry, but you have cut in, and so lose your refused, saying 'You are only artisan members; you are not of the same Australia?—say," and in purposeful standing as us."

"As for the matches they (the full)

members) claim to have played with for showing the public what snobs us, we have had one since the club 99 per cent, of the golf club are."
has been formed. We den't approach them for a game because of Rule 16, of the snobs referred to in that letter which states that no artisan member which Councillor Riddle, by means is permitted to play with a member best known to himself, has had sent of the parent club except by invita- to himself, I protest on behalf of 200 tion of the latter.

I am sure are with me, I thank you at the club."

Professor Portus also said: "If

Snob Insult' you ask a boy to-day who kissed Hardy, he probably will answer Laurel." After strongly criticising the old method of teaching history, with its emphasis on the doings of royalty and on wars, he said things were better now.

The old form of history, about the NEW complaints of "snobbery" by private lives of royalty, he described members of Hastings Downs Golf as "snob history." "When the former Kaiser, now cutting trees at Doorn, was saying 20 years ago that he was God's vice-

regent on earth, you heard speaking the proposal to grant £100 a year to no modern king but an Elector of Hanover of 400 years ago," said Professor Portus. He added that economics now dominated history to a considerable

which was written by an artisau The head of the civic administration section of the Department of the Interior, Mr. C. S. Dalcy, said he regretted the absence of an historical background in Australia compared

with other divisions of the world. With a knowledge of Australian history and its storied enterprise, and substituting Australia for England, Browning's question could be right to the course. The gentlemen repeated: "Here and here did Australla help me: How can I help netion find the satisfactory answer.

members at his insult which Coun-"On behalf of the artisans, whom elllor Riddle has so foolishly flung



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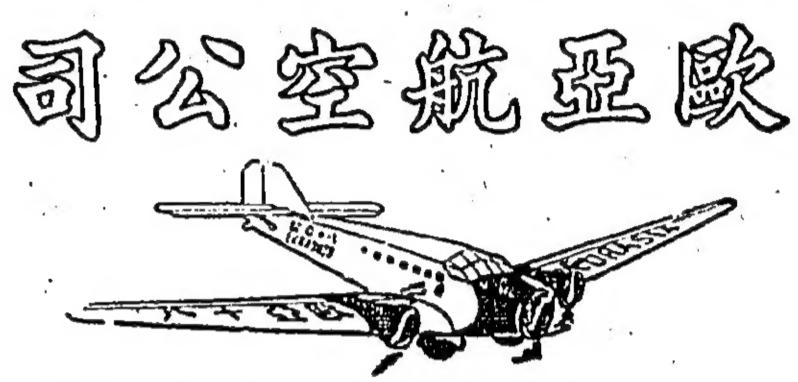
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GERMAN PLANE MISSING

Rome, Feb. 26. The Air Ministry has ordered air port radios to exercise the sharpest missing German aeroplane. Dalus, | cost \$1 each. which, with six passengers and a erew of four, was due at Genoa from the Balearie Islands on Friday. There have been heavy rain and winds and the plane has not been reported .---- United Press,

IMPERIAL AIRWAYS PLANE ARRIVED ON SATURDAY

Two Imperial Airways planes, carrying mails and passengers, arrived at Kal Tak on Saturday afternoon. The Dorado, with mails, arabout 2 p.m. and the Delia. with five passengers, just after 4

The passengers were Mr. E. J Tandy, engineer, of Messrs: Butterfield and Swire, who came from Rangoon and will spend three days in the Colony before going to Chungking; Mr. W. Schleicher, who is here on a short business trip; Mr. Kent Lutey, American manufacturer, who will spend a few days in Hongkong before going on to Shanghai; Miss G. Kantowski, and Mr. Dobbs, a staff member.

The next outward flight is tomorrow morning.

AIR FRANCE DEPARTURE

Mr. J. K. Swire, a principal of the firm of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire. and Mr. W. H. Lock, manager of Hongkong, were among the passengers who left for Hanol by the Alt France plane on Saturday morning.

The eight passengers also included Mr. E. Francois and his daughter, Miss R. Francois, and Mr. and Mrs. Scillens.

AIR. SERVICES

Arrivals and Departures Of Planes

For London, Australia, British Countries and Europe: Imperial Airways 5 p.m. Feb. 28. For Chungking, Sian, etc: Eurasia and C.N.A.C. service indefinite. For France via Hanol: Air France, 0.30 a.m. Feb. 25.

Inward ' '

From London, Australia and British Countries: Imperial Airyays 5 p.m. Feb. 25; Imperial Airways 5 p.m. Feb. 28. From Chungking, Yunnanfu. Kweilin: C.N.A.C., Eurasia Service

indefinite. From U.S.A., via Honolulu, Guam, Manila: Boeing Clipper 12.30 p.m. March 1. From France, via Hanci: Air

France, 12.30 p.m. March 2. LOST PROPERTY

Magistrate's Volunteer Uniform Stolen

The theft of his Hongkong Volunteer uniform, comprising a great-coat, tunic and pair of trousers, from his motor car, parked outside the Hongkong Club on Saturday, has been reported to the police by Mr. T. J. Houston, Third Magistrate at the Central Magistracy.

Lt. R. A. M. Hennessy, R.N., and Lt. A. T. J. Horris, R.N., residing at 107 Boundary Street, Kowloon, have reported the loss or theft of two cameras, valued at \$105, from their house between February 23 and Saturday.

Mr. Wong Kwal-wo, of 2 Castle Road, Upper Levels district, was robbed of jewellery, money and fountain pens to the total. value of \$176 by some person who entered his residence early on Saturday morning.

TWO FOUNTAIN PENS

Road, Kowloon, was robbed of two Club will meet Mr. Paul Stermer, fountain pens within a couple of Past President of the Honolulli Y's days during the past week. He was Men's Club, at a special meeting in walking along Queen's Road on the the China Building at 7.30 p.m. to- cently after she had threatened to public demonstrations to express morning of February 23, when some | day. person stole his fountain pen, valued at \$10, outside the On Lok Yuen Care.

On Saturday, he was walking in Wyndham Street about 1 p.m. when his pocket was picked of a second fountain pen, also valued at \$10. Quartermaster-Sergeant Moreton, Royal Engineers, was also robbed of a fountain pen on Saturday afternoon, while he was walking in Queen's Road Central near the China Emporium.

LOSS OF CAMERA

Mr. Ross of the Hongkong Hotel, reports the loss of a comera valued at \$300 while shopping in the Central district.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the TWENTIETH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of this Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company No. 10, Des Voeux Road | Central, on Saturday, the 11th March. 1039, at 3.00 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 4938.

The Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from Saturday, 4th March, 1939 to Saturday, 11th March, 1939 (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, KAN TONG PO, Chief Manager.

Social Items

Hongkong, 17th February, 1939.

A bridge and mah-jong drive will be held at the Kowloon Union Church'

Gould, Deputy Registrar of Marriages, opinion on the Colonial question. of Mr. Wong Slu-ling, merchant, and Miss Chan Ling-fung, of 6 Bonham Strand, Hongkong. The witnesses the delegates last night, wishing the replied:were Messrs. Wong Fong-kiu and conference success, and emphasising Chan Kwok-tung.

The following forthcoming wed- to maintain sanity and goodwill. dings are announced: Mr. Leung Estate for the Navy. - The Pul-sheung, time-keeper of H.M. Governor, Air Chief Marshal Sir Dockyard, and Miss Ma Yin-ping, of Henry Brooks-Popham, recently ac-6 Wong Chuk Street, Shamshuipo; cepted from S.r Ali Bin Salim, the Mr. Tsu Zui-lo, merchant, and Miss Kenya Arab leader, the beautiful Tung Ling-yan, of 24 Ice House estate of Peleleza at Mombasa, with Street: Mr. Sung I Chung, journalist, its residences, as a rest house for the residing in room 7. Phillips House, Navy, Sir Ali was recently given the arranged. Kowloon, and Miss Ying Yi, of 1319 rank of Captain R.N. and the right Farrington Street, Honolulu, Hawaii; to a salute of seven guns. . Dr. Wu Hung-tak, medical practitioner, and Miss Poon Wai-kun, AUSTRALIA teacher, of 545 Nathan Road, Kowloon: Mr. Li Hék-nin, solicitor, and Miss Ho Wing-mui, of 17 Soy Street, Mongkok.

CHINESE PAINTINGS St. John's Cathedral Hall Exhibition Opened

were shown by Leung Yik-yu, Woo | non-union dockers. Kim-um, Wong Ting-ping, Au Sluylm, Cheung Sun-cho, Cheung Siusek, Che Hei and Chiu Shiu-ngong. Joint pictures by Mr. Wong and Mr. Leung, and Mr. Wong and Mr. Woo were included; the two artists have combined in several attractive INDIA studies of birds and animals in na-

tural settings. Mr. Woo's individual pictures stood out by reason of his characteristic lofty perspectives and neat detail. Mr. Au showed special aptitude in his studies of fish, delicately seen

through the water. The most striking exhibits, how- disturbances. ever, were by Mr. Cheung Siu-sek, I who had given his imagination rein in two allegorical subjects and had length pictures of old time Chinese

country people. The exhibition closes at 7 p.m. to-

STOCK MARKET REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued at 12.00 noon,

February 25, says: There was more interest shown in the market during the short session but shares were difficult to obtain.

Canton Insurance \$21715 Union Insurance \$468 H.K. Fire Insurance \$100 Douglases \$67 Raubs \$8.20 H. & S. Hotels \$615 H.K. Realties \$5.15

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Y'S MEN'S CLUB To Meet World Touring Ambassador

Members of the local Y's Men's

Mr. Stermer is serving as Ambassador for the International Y's Men's Clubs and is visiting all the Clubs in the course of a world tour. Dr. Li Shi-pul asks members to make their reservations with Dr. F. I. Tseung, Tel. No. 24196.

MUSICAL EVENING

The Hongkong Singers and the Hongkong Chamber Music Club are combining to present a programme in the University Great Hall at 9.30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 7.

The concert will have the patronage of H. E. the Governor. Bookings can be made at Tsang Bench. Fook's, Queen's Road Central.

Wrote To Fiance: Darling, Don't Let Me Down'

Tooting, S.W.

served his defence.

NEWS

FUTURE STATUS OF EAST AFRICA

Nairobi. The future policy of the Tanganyika League was discussed at meeting of delegates at Nairobi. The organiser Major F. W. Cavendish-Bentinck said the outlook for the territory was at present safer, after the statement by Mr. Mac-House of Commons in December. In view of the unstable situation sometimes called a suicide pact. In Europe however, it would be dis-

activities, especially in Britain. He claimed that the work of the survive. The wedding took place at the Re- League was chiefly responsible for Powell was received at a dinner of not be found, and to which she executed. that the steadying influence of the Empire was more than ever needed

WATERSIDE DISPUTE SETTLED

Sydney. The Port Kembla waterside dispute, arising out of the refusal of the dockers to load pig-iron for Japan, has ended after nine weeks. The strike has meant a loss in wages of

£ 100,000. The dockers have now undertaken An exhibition of art by eight Chi- i to load the steamer Dalfram, 4:558 Messrs, Butterfield and Swire in nese painters was opened at St. John's tons, for Japan. The Federal Gov-Cathedral Hall on Saturday. Works ernment has stopped the licensing of

The unions have issued an appeal to the people of Australia to support a ban on the export of war materials to aggressors.* A deputation met the Prime Minister, Mr. J. A. Lyons.

CONGRESS BALLOT DISTURBANCES

In one Allahabad constituency the ballot boxes were burnt, and in a Iran also produced some excellent full officers is reported to have been assaulted by a candidate.

STRIKE CLOSES OIL REFINERY

Rangoon. The Burma Oil Refinery was completely closed recently, owing to the

extension of the strike. Strikers and picketers are very the deputy Prime Minister. active, especially outside Rangoon Itself. U. Saw, the agitator, and two others have been released from prison, as their fines have been paid. They were fined for taking part in an illegal procession.

SOUTH AFRICA

ROBERTS HEIGHTS COMPROMISE

Johannesburg. The Government's decision to re- Ocean. name, the Union military headquarters "Voortrekkerhoogte," while retaining the title "Roberts Heights" for the post office and wireless; station, intensely disappoints the English section of the population. The Rand Daily Mail says: "This, compromise will satisfy no one, but will merely spur the Malanites to further excesses in the campaign to wipe out the last traces of British seriously ill to-day. sentiment in this country."

Woman Wanted To Slap P.C.s

Market Harborough, Mrs. W. J. Southam, smartly dress-

rlap two polleemen's faces. ease had been heard and tried to ad- for the Arabs! Long Live Haj Amin!" dress the Bench. A police superin- (Haj Amin is the Mufti). tendent spoke to her, but she refused to sit down and the magistrates ord- steamer arrived at Jaffa bringing a ered her to be ejected.

be heard from outside, and once she authorities in Palestine. -- Transattempted to re-enter the court. Ocean. Finally, she was told that if she vanted to make an application she could do so in writing, and a note was laken from her to the Bench. The magistrates considered it but made no comment. Mrs. Southam said inter that she of 82. She was born in Finland in had been threatened with a rate 1856 and had been in this country storing eyes, known as the spectral

LEONARD Arthur Jellicoe Bond, aged twenty-three, of Poplar-road, Lowestoft, was at Wimbledon Police Court recently committed for trial at the Old Bailey, charged with the murder of Sylvin Irene Ellen Riches,

Bond pleaded not guilty, and re- ruler" of Scotland by a group of

Scottish Nationalists. After Mrs. Florence Riches, mother of the girl, had given evidence, she vonoff, 24-year-old widow of a stood in front of the dock, burst into ted descent from the Romanoffs—the Si had heard her with his head bowed, Before her marriage she was Miss and was led out shouting and crying. Mary Russell-Taverman.

Mrs. Riches said that Bond became engaged to her daughter last May. Mr. H. A. K. Morgan, for the not merely the idea of a few cranks. Donald, the Colonial Secretary in the Director of Public Prosecutions, said . "The man who first discovered the that the charge arose from what was likeness was the curator of a Glasgow art gallery.

These agreements were not always "He seemed startled when he found astrous to become complacent or to made in good faith. The magistrate me gazing at a portrait of Mary relax their efforts. The purpose of might think from the evidence that Queen of Scots. It was almost as if vigilance in an effort to trace the Hall on Wednesday, March 1. Tickets the conference was to plan future Bond had no intention of committing I were gazing into a mirror, he said. suicide or that he was lucky to "I had always felt drawn to the

gistry on Saturday, before Mr. T. J. the profound change in British public Riches family and left on December about her I could obtain. 27. On December 30 the girl re- "I used to cry bitterly when I A message from Lord Baden- ceived a letter from him, which could came to the part where she was

> "My darling Jelly. Everything is O.K. by me, dear..... I am will-kings and statesmen. ing to do whatever you like . . . You won't let me down, will you, its spiritual leader. let me wait in vain." On January 2 Bond met the girl as Scottish political liberty.

police officer on Wimbledon Common of Scotland Movement, to invite me that there was a woman lying near to be the spiritual leader of the Scots. some bushes. They searched but did I accepted. not find her.

infectant.'

Bond was cautioned. He then made a statement, in which he was alleged to have said that. Miss Riches had asked him by letter to meet her at Liverpool-street on January 2. The alleged statement added: "I

bought a bottle of disinfectant be-

decided to take our lives together. taken too much. I took the bottle tected. from her and took half of it my-

The elections of delegates to the was found unconscious on the com- shown both its very ancient origin

Baghdad, Feb. 26. for his alliance with the Egyptian the pitultary gland. Princess Fawzia, arrived here to-day. The posterior lobe, too, has been The Prince was met at the Iraqi shown to contain and produce an

the Prince was welcomed by Prince on the whole of the involuntary Zeid, representing the King, and was muscular system of the body-in accompanied by members of the other words, what has now become Iraqi Cabinet,

In the evening, King Ghazi gave a banquet in the royal palace in honour Zondek also tended to show that the of the guest. Signature of the marriage will be extremely important role in the promade on March 16, and the Crown duction and control of the very Prince and Princess will go to Teheran mysterious but essential function of where the festivities will be held

from April 21 to April 24.-Trans-

Czar's Niece: Sudden Illness

London, Feb. 26. Princess Andrew, niece of the last Czar of Russia, was suddenly taken Prince Andrew and his mother, the Grand Duchess Xenia of Russia, are

at the sick bed. The family occupy a suite of rooms in Hampton Court Palace .- Trans-Ocean.

PALESTINE PLAN: DELEGATION

(Continued from Page 1.):

ed widow of a rich Northampton- Arab State would be set up in research work, and was strolling in shire auctioneer, was turned out of Palestine, several hundreds of young the college cloisters with other pro-Market Harborough police court re- Arabs entered Halfa to-day to hold fessors, when he collapsed. their joy.

a front seat, jumped up after a minor through the town shouting "Palestine Medical School, and he had held a Almost at the same time, a British large number of British police to For the next hour her shouts could reinforce those of the mandated

CITIZENSHIP SOUGHT

Fort Bragg, Cal. Mrs. Kaisa Gerberg has taken out her naturalization papers at the age ballot as an American citizen.

Tragic Queen Reincarnated

nged nineteen, of Lyveden-road, is the reincarnation of Mary Queen of Scots has been elected "spiritual

She is the Baroness Alexis Maro-

"Everyone notices the likeness," the

Queen in a strange way, and as a Bond spent Christmas with the child wanted to read all the books

> SEERESS' TALE "Then I met a famous Highland secress, who has read the hands of

"She told me that I was indeed the know I will not let you down for, reincarnation of the Queen, and that Jelly, darling, I love you far too Scotland would never be a free and much to double-cross, you. You happy land until I was recognised as

dearest?...I will be at Liverpool- "Not long ago I was approached by street on Monday morning. Don't an elderly Scot who is well known in Edinburgh as a champion of

"He had come to London especially Shortly after 3 p.m. Bond told a to see me, on behalf of the Freedom

"The fact that I am a reincarnation Later, at the police station, Bond of Mary Queen of Scots does not said: "I was with a girl. It is my mean that I am in any physical way young lady. We have both taken dis- descended from her. It merely indicates that her soul has taken pos-"session of me."

GLAND THAT **DETERMINES** GROWTH

cause I thought that if she intended THE recent publication by the to take her life I might as well do Association for Research in Nervous and Mental Disenses of an ex-"All the time I was with her on tremely long volume devoted entirethe common she was talking about by to the pituitary gland is a forcible doing away with herself, and I was reminder of the immense importance trying to talk her out of it. We now assigned to this once largely un-

known gland, "She caught hold of the bottle. Tucked away into a bony hollow and began to drink it. I tried to in the base of the skull, it is very stop her and couldn't. She had inaccessible and extremely well pro-

It measures less than an inch in any dimension and consists of two About 2 a.m on January 3 the girl lobes; and recent investigations have Congress Party's annual conference mon. She died the next day from and the enormous powers of control poisoning, intensified by exposure. physical and perhaps racial functions. Thus over-activity of some of the

Crown Prince cells of the tiny anterior lobe may result in a condition of gigantism, cells of the tiny anterior lobe may deficiency in a condition of dwarfism; On Way To Bride and the whole of this gland is intimately responsible for the normal processes of growth. Certain con-The Crown Prince of Iran, ditions of premature or abnormal Mohamed Resa, now on his way to corpulence are also due to mal-Cairo to sign the marriage contract, functioning of some of the cells of

frontier by Prince Abdul Ilah, and internal secretion that can affectblood pressure throughout the body At the Baghdad railway station, and also exert a powerful influence the instinctive life of the organism. Recent researches of Professor pituitary gland may possibly play an

> The fact that this deeply buried gland at the base of the brain can now be explored and operated upon -often successfully-is one of the miracles of modern cerebral surgery. for which we are indebted chiefly, perhaps, to Professor Harvey Cushing of America.

Monkey Theory Professor Dies

A FAMOUS anatomist, who had a theory that man was descended from treeliving monkeys, died suddenly in University College, London,

recently. He was Dr. Herbert Henry Woollard, Professor of Anatomy at London University. He had just finished some

Dr. Wollard, an Australian, was 49. reviously he was Professor of An-Mrs. Southam, who was sitting in Dancing and singing, they marched atomy at St. Bartholomew's Hospital isimilar post at the University of Adelalde.

> He was brilliant in research, and had offered a new theory as to the origin of the human race. He suggested that man was of much greater antiquity than had been supposed, and that his ancestral tree was sprung not from the larger apes but from a distant

stock of small primates that lived in trees. The sole living representative of this species is a little monkey with large summons and wanted advice from the for 50 years. She wants to east her tarsier. It is a denizen of the forests of Bornoo, but is rarely seen.

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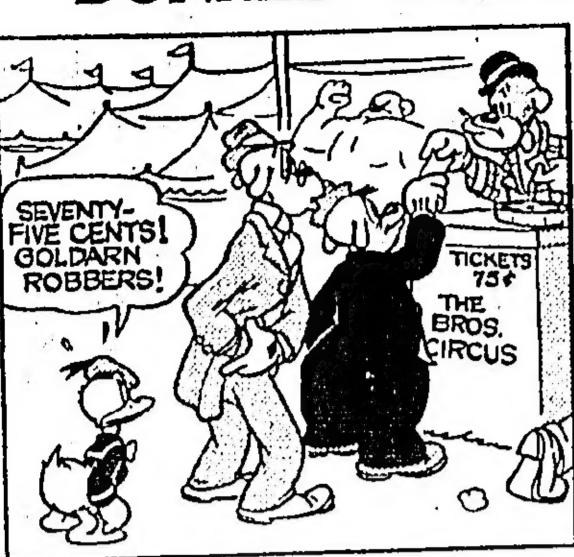
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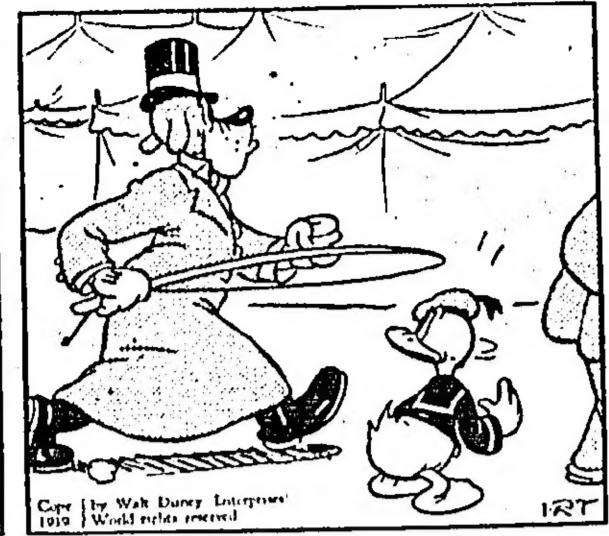
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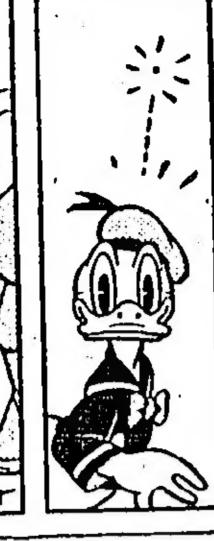
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WEDDING

Mr. V. Benwell And Miss K. Winch

Two popular hockey players were united at St. Andrew's Church on Saturday Miss when afternoon. Kathleen Winch became the bride of Mr. Vincent M. Benwell.

of the Civil Est blishments, Naval guests of the Board of Tourist In- at a college in the Philippines. During a success, as free launches will be run. Intercession from St. John's Cathe- easy to remember Vienna in Spring-Yard, and Mrs. Winch, of 180a dustry. Nathan Road, is a member of the younger social sui, and has made a name for herself in the annual; Pantonimes of the Y.M.C.A.

by her father, and chose for her wedding dress, a creation of white French figured taffeta, with a veil of net and embroidered satin. The dress was made by Messrs, Lane Crawford 14d. She carried a bouquet of white roses,

The Misses Brenda Rowell and Joyce Shirley acted as bridesmaids in dainty frocks of shell pink taffeta. In place of the conventional bouquets! they carried novel pink camelia handbags,

The bridegroom, who is a Sanitary Inspector, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Benwell of Warwickshire, England. He is a member of the Y.M.C.A. Hockey Club and H.K. Hockey Club, being the goal-keeper for the hockey teams.

duties of best man.

The Rev. J. R. Higgs, Vicar of St. Andrew's, officiated and Mr. Rupert Baldwin was at the organ.

Club, King's Park.

brown, with accessories to match. honeymoon, which is being spent at

sories to match.

Hines Found Guilty

Released On Huge Bail Pending Sentence

New York, Feb. 25. James J. Hines, was to-day found guilty on all counts of bribery and operating lotteries, at the close of his re-trial. He is liable to a maximum sentence of 27 years' imprisonment.-Reuter.

Released on Bail

13, pending which James Hines will by her people in Gympic Queensbe released on ball of \$20,000.

Mr. Lloyd Paul Stryker, defence counsel, stated that an appeal will be lodged immediately. Shouts of "Hurray for Jimmy" greeted Hines as he was leaving the court,

in recent years came to an end with dramatic suddenness shortly after the Jury had returned to the court for the third time for instructions after deliberating for five hours. Mrs. Hines was not in court when the verdict was announced, aithough she attended every session both at the attended every session both at the attended every session both at the large waving mags met flying from Moseow to America in Children waving mags met flying from Moseow to America in August, 1937.

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members of Hines' family listened invading China." intently for 90 minutes, Judge Nott told the Jury that it would be their duty to decide two questions, namely, was an unlawful combination of "policy banks" formed and did It influence of Hines through the police by the Ministering League and Mini- report his sabotage .- Reuter. courts and other judicial officers? tering Children's League was held on

Counsel added that Hines was con- the Cheero Club, Hongkong, and the victed out of the mouths of his Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon. friends. Without him leaders like him of originised crime could not

as just and fair and in accord with causes. the facts.

murdered in 1935,-Router.

JAPANESE WOMEN VOTE WANT

Australian Teachers Told Of Struggle

"cabbages and kings" was well alred-THE BRIDE who is he daughter women entertained five Australian graduating at Yule took further loop on March 14th. The promoters are of Mr. S. S. Winch, chargeman teachers who were in Japan as the courses at Columbia University and going the right way to make the affair 12.0-12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intro; My dance; Marle Louise; It's

on their way home by the Kamo Europe, Asia, Oceania and Central &c. Entries are limited to Kowloon! Maru, heard with particular interest; America. He then secured a post at growers. the story of the struggle which Columbia University and also found-She was given away in marriage Japanese women are making for ed and became first director, of a suffrage. In the vehemence of their "School of Extension Teaching" following:suffragettes.

regards the vote very much as a the rank of major. matter of course; in fact, as rather a ly but firmly dishelieved in such teaching, but acted as head of the on Monday, February 11, 1889.

i teachers next year."

Highlights of Tour

Repulse Bay, she were a charming the performance of the ceremonial licipated as official representative of model in turquoise blue with neces- Bugaku, or musical play, played out- the United States. He was a fellow side the Court for the special bene- of the Royal Geographical Society. Ot of the Australian visitors. At the conclusion of the function a great, choir sang, very beautifully, the "Kimigayo," or Japanese National Anthem, and followed it with "God] Save The King."

Misses Hanger and Ryan were the stars in the other radio event, when they broadcast on short wave to Australia, "We will bring back to Australia with us the memory of a most charming people and a beauti- Russia ful country," said Miss Ryan. "We have been deeply impressed with the The former Tammany Hall leader, well-equipped schools, where the well-equipped schools, where the hildren's progress is so carefully Trial Of Radio Kowlson, The many things, was to-day found whildren's progress is so carefully watched. Everything is done to make them familiar with homeeraft. We have found the greatest goodwill and friendship towards us at every) turn.

Miss Hanger had the satisfaction of Sentence will be passed on March learning that every word was heard l land.

Cheered By Children

first and second trials.

Twelve counts of the indictment concerned charges, of felony, each carrying a maximum penalty of two venes imprisonment. They related in regular intervals of the long hours and the conditions—the long hours and the monotony—and on a Sunday afternoon, too—ill."

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tence is three years' imprisonment. | said to them: "You see how crowded suspicious and radioed notice of his | It is indicated that Czecho-Stovakia afternoon.

Was Hines a party to the conspiracy? Saturday, depots being established at

On Friday night Mrs. T. H. King brondenst an appeal to the Public to on their verdict which he described which will be devoted to worthy is very ill, according to the doctor. Similar occasions in the past figures the use of King's College from the lights to make the scene more attraction and their verdict which he described which he described which will be devoted to worthy is very ill, according to the doctor.

American Diplomat In Berlin Dies

Berlin, Feb. 24. Mr. Prentiss B. Gilbert, the United States Charge d'Affaires, died sud-denly to-day from a heart attack,-

Mr. Prentiss Bailey Gilbert, former The woman's point of view on United States "observer" at Geneva, exposed to the exhalations of the gutwas born at Rochester, N.Y., in 1883, ter. at a recent round-table chat in Tokyo the son of an officer. He studied at when a party of educated Japanese various universities and after

claim the Japanese women exhibited which was affiliated to the Rochester much of the spirit of the British University. When the United States entered the World War, he was employed as chief of the combat section

political and economic section of the cemetery of Happy Valley, Hongkong, with Vocal Refrain; "Anything Goes" General Staff, In 1923 he became on February 13. The British civil, Selection (Cole Porter); Red, White commandant of the Officers' Reserve The teachers Misses E. Hanger, commandant of the Officers' Reserve mival and military authorities at Hong- And Blue-Fox-Trot (from 'Swing is H. M. Stay, E. M. Luke, I. C. Ryan, Corps with the rank of lieut, colonel. kong united in a marked and spontane- in the Air')....Jack Hylton and His and A. M. Pittman-reported that After graduating from the U.S. Army one manner with the officers and crew Orchestra with Vocal Refrain. they had been lavishly, almost ex- War College he was appointed, in of the flagship Marion in extending haustingly, entertained and that their 1924 an assistant in the section of the military honours to the distinguished tour had been thoroughly delightful. State Dept. at Washington which dead. "We seem to have been a success," deals with Western Europe and soon the squadron for a period of thirty Miss Pittman commented, "for they became its chief. In that capacity he days. Mr. Robert A. Bates undertook the are talking of inviting 10 Australian was sent to Geneva as unofficial "observer" for the U.S. of the dis- mander-in-Chief will continue in force (Bruhne); "Snow White And The cussions and decisions of the League until further instructions. of Nations. As the American 'Government stands outside the League, it In a tour that was a crowded series felt the need for a permanent repreof experiences the highlights were, sentative at Geneva who would keep The reception was held at the perhaps, both associated with the in close touch with what was going China Light and Power Recreation radio. One of these was the ocea- on, Mr, Gilbert was therefore in 1930 sion of a gathering of 3,000 teachers appointed American Consui there. The bride's mother was present in in Tokyo at which Miss Stay, taking though his main task was to act as the Admiralty, piloted an aeroplane a smart ensemble in mustard and her first turn in the long round of official "observer" and in that role to be were the Solent and located a submar- Weather and Announcements.

speech-making, delivered on address attend all the deliberations of the ine which was manoeuvring under the water. He eventually alighted on the that was broadcast throughout Japan. League. In its negotiations regard-water hear the Admiralty launch En. Minor, Op. 11. The feature of this occasion was garding Manchuria Mr. Gilbert par-

GERMAN SYMPATHY

behalf of the Reich Government condolence upon the sudden death of Mr. Prentiss B. Gilbert .- Trans-Occan.

Operator

Moscow, Feb. 26. Five hundred Polar fliers, workers, and journalists sat in the crowded chief wireless operator at Tikhaya compel serious consideration of this ers, Portsmouth, cond. by C. T. Lee; (Film 'Swing Teacher Swing')... the trial of Mikhail Vosnissensky, Hay in the Arctic regions, who is ac- question. "Hurray for Jimmy" greeted Hines as he was leaving the court.

The most eventful criminal trial present years came to an and with the search for the famed Soviet with a greet of the search for the famed Soviet with a come. Children waving flags met of the search for the famed Soviet with a come. Children waving flags met of the search for the famed Soviet aviator, Livanevsky, who, almost stir the Colony to take an intensity of the search for the famed Soviet aviator, Livanevsky, who, almost stir the Colony to take an intensity of the search for the famed Soviet of the s

. In his summing up to which all the we are here. That is why we are dismissal he suppressed the order, will not commit herself to the prehad also been arrested as "an enemy linner, which threatens to push a wedge of the people" for having falled to between the Little Entente and which receive the protective and political A successful Flag Day, organised supervise Vosnissensky's work and in worrying Czecho-Slovakia.

NORMA SHEARER ILL

night,-Reuter.

A Look Through The "Telegraph"

50 YEARS AGO

The liver is, said to be the organ most speedily disordered by malarial

A flower-show will be held at Kowthe Spanish-American war he served admission will be free, drinks gratis, dral. The Australian teachers, who pass- as a special side in the Philippines. and time for nothing. Two silver cups will probably be offered, one for table will probably be offered, one for table ed through Hongkong on Saturday! From 1911 to 1916 he travelled in decorations and one for cut flowers. Jack Hylton and His Orchestra.

> We have been favoured with the ASIATIC STATION Year 1889

U.S.S. Omaha Chinkiang, Chinn,

Mourning will be worn by officers o All orders issued by the late Com-1

PREDERICK V. MCNAIR Captain U.S. Navy, and Senior Officer Present on Asiatic Station.

25 YEARS AGO

Feb. 27, 1914. Mr. Winston Churchill, First Lord of

During question time in the House conducted by John Barbirolli. of Commons, Mr. Churchill announced 2.15 Close down. that it had been decided to substitute this year a test mobilisation of the Third Fleet instead of the grand Gracie Fields assisted by Jack Jack - (Tenor).

The German Charge d'Affaires dent at Belgrade states that the Minis- The Children's Ward. ... Murriott Rose (film The Vogabond King'called on the Secretary of State Mr. ter of War, speaking in the Skupstina, Edgar, Cicely Courtneldge, Paul Friml); Smilin' Through (Penn), ... Cordell Hull, to-day to express on intimated that the Servian losses in the Robeson and Jack Jackson and His with Orchestral accompaniment. Turkish War were 5,000 dead and 18,000 Orchestra; Studio-Seria! Story; 10.0 London Relay-In Town Towounded, while in the Serbo-Bulgarian Noah's Ark (Zoological Tunes for night'. War they were 8,000 dead and 30,000 wounded. Altogether 18,000 had died of wounds and sickness.

> more striking resture in the diverbit Peep; A Frog He Would a-Wooing the 'Man in the Street'); Edited and rapid and well-sustained growth of Go. etc The B.B.C. Dance Or- produced by C. F. Mechan.

ches of brick-work platforms constructed, while the new ferry and rail- Orchestra and Chorus. way pier is now almost finished. One thing which Kowloon lacks is a tions. hospital for Europeans. Hongkong has court room to hear the opening of an abundance of these institutions, but Kowloon none, and the growth of the

come. Children waving flags met flying from Moscow to America in real, if hardly definable, prospects of Portsmouth, cond. by C. T. Lee.

Renard Dance Orchestra.

5 YEARS AGO

Feb. 27, 1934.

The Public Prosecutor revealed that Dr. Benes, the Foreign Minister, minded these present of the hardship household necessities to electrical He continued his sabotage activities. Judico of her relations with France, but that Vosnissensky's chief, Grigoriev, feels that a Non-Aggression Pact with millions of Chinese have undergone, products and toys. In charge of the colony's 27 persons, bryonic Italo-Austro-Hungarian Al- Hvellhood. Since the Fund was in- greater number of the young people

TRAFFIC CENSUS

London, Feb. 25. A three days detailed census of

RADIO-*

Town To-night" London Music-Hall,

"FOR THE CHILDREN"

Radio Programme Broadcast by polsons. The hand seems to be the one ZBW on a Frequency of 845 k.c's. Melodies Of The Month No. 6; least affected, though generally so and on Short Wave from 1-2.15 p.m. Intro: Chasing Shadows; One night of tions. It is a simple home treatment and 8-11 p.m. on 9.52 m.e's., per love; I'll never say 'never again' in tablet form, discovered by an Amer-

Trot Jack Hylton's Orchestra With Vocal Refrain; Where Yorkshire And ments. Laneashire Meet (Damerell and Evans)....Kitty Masters (Vocal) assisted by Bert Master. With two planos; A Melody From The Sky to learn that the Australian woman the American General Staff, reaching announce to the officers and crews service the tree of the officers and crews service that the Australian woman the American General Staff, reaching announce to the officers and crews services that the Australian woman the American General Staff, reaching announce to the officers and crews services that the Australian woman the American General Staff, reaching announce to the officers and crews services that the Piano; O Sole Mio (Di Capua) ing on the Asiatic Station the death of Fox-Trot (film 'Come out of the ... assisted by J. Samehtini ('Cello) the Commander-in-Chief, Rear Admiral Pantry'); When the Guardsman and J. Byfield (Piano). After the way he did not return to Ralph Chandler, at Hongkong, China, started Crooning On Parade-Fox4 The deceased was baried in the Trot... Jack Hylton's Orchestra

1.0 Time and Weather. 1.03 Reginald Foort at the Organ.

Told Me A Story-Tango Havanera

1.15 The Ballyhooligans.

Favourites—Fox-Trot Medley; I Got Symphony Orchestra; "Nell Gwyn The President added that The Rhythm-Fox-Trot.

1.40 Chopin-Concerto No. 1 In E

Arthur Rubinstein (Piano) and The London Symphony Orchestra

Gracie In The Children's Word.... son and His Orch.; Radio Hour In

Children Old and Young) (arr, Henry chestra directed by Henry Hall with 10.30 A Dance Programme. The new railway station is now in Vocal Chorus; At Mother's Knee; Fox-Trot-Ride, Tenderfoot, Ride hand and though the building itself has Intro: Hush-a-bye Baby; Lullaby (film 'Romance and Rhythm'); Waltz not yet been commenced, the founda-tions have been laid and the long stret- [Mozart]; Sweet and Low (Barnby) —Never Break A Promise....The Essle Ackland (Controlto) with Organ, The Dance Band and Me

6.32 Sea Shanties.

(C. H. Lloyd)....Royal Naval Sing- Trot-How'Dja Like To Love Met Songs Of The Sea (arr. Terry); Intro: Jack White and His Collegians with Whisky Johnny; Sally Brown; Let Vocal Refrain; Waltz-That Night In

Relief Committee Effort A Great Success

Bonham Road, were thronged by and Mrs. W. Kay, The United Press correspondent in hundreds of people who attended the interfere with their relations with Branch), which was opened by the

> stituted some months ago, more than present, and besides tests of skill, \$400,000 had been raised to date, and various amusing and original games already more than half this amount were provided. had been spent in relieving the refugees. The bazoar had therefore known Chinese screen stars, under been organized as a means of raising the ausoices of the Chung Sing further money for the Fund in Benevotent Society, entertained order to carry on the good work.

The film star Norma Shearer is traffic on the London underground is Sir Robert thanked the Hon. Mr. suffering from a throat infection and at present proceeding and as on M. K. Lo for his efforts in procuring lit in the evening, with coloured Her condition is stated to be not produced by this traffic test will pro- Government for the bazaar, He live. The total amount collected on idarming at present, although her bably result in further improvements concluded by remarking that the The bazaar will continue to-day

Including Billy Bennett ('Almost a gentleman') with The BBC Variety Orchestra conducted by Charles Shadwell. Presented by John Shar-

7.45 Len Green at the Plane.

mgain; We were so young; Paris in the Spring; Fore thee well, Annabelle; Melodies Of The Month No. 2; old Seville: Melodies Of The Month | Your brain power, memory and eyestight 12.30 Kitty Masters (Vocal) with No. R. 4; Intro: Where are You?; Keep calling me Sweetheart; With Schoolboy Howlers-Comedy Fox- plenty of Money and You.

8.0 Time, Weather and Announce-

8.03 Albert Sandler (Violin).

The Pantom Melody (Albert W. (film 'The Trail of the Lonesome Ketelbey); Algerian Scene (Albert) The Senior Officer Present regrets to Pine') . . . Kitty Masters with Or- W. Ketelbey) . . . with the Composer

> 8.15 London Relay-Books-5. A weekly series of talks by The Right Hon. The Earl of Lytton, K.a., G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E.

8.30 A Light Concert.

"The Merry Wives Of Windsor' (Nicolai); Act 1-Mistress Ford's Aria....Lottee Lehmann (Soprano) with Orchestra, (Sung in German); Berenice--Minuet (Handel); 'The Puszta (Mihaly); The Wind Has Facry Queen-Three Dances (Purcell Tarr. Jacques); (a) Hornpipe; (b)
Rondeau; (c) Jig... The Jacques
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Mr. John L. Lewis, leader of the Jacques; Trusting Eyes (Gartner); "Rebel" Committee for Industrial Your Eyes Have Told Me What I Did Organisation, summoning them to Nobody's Sweetheart—Fox-Trot; Not Know (Bowles-O'Hara)... appoint a committee to negotiate Whispering—Fox-Trot; Favourite Enrico Caruso (Tenor). with Leace within the labour movement. Dance; 2. Pastoral Dance; 3. Merry-

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, makers' Dance....Jack Hylton and 9.0 Mozart—Concerto In E Flat would comment on the President's | His Orchestra. Major, K. 271.

Walter Gieseking (Piano) and Members of The State Opera House Orchestra, Berlin cond. by Hans

9.30 London Relay-The News. 9.50 Songs by Richard Crooks RASCAL . . . he starts to

Rio Rita (from the film); Only A

Introducing personalities from Hall); Intro: Baa, Ban Black Sheep; every walk of life in interviews with Sing a Song of Sixpence; An Elephant Lionel Gamlin, flashes from the News Never Forgets; Whipsnade; Cock of the week, and Standing on the In recent years there has been no Robin; Hey Diddle Diddle; Little Bo Corner' (Michael Standing interviews

> (Piano) with vocal refrain; Fox-Trots 6.30 Closing local Stock Quota- Sweet As A Song (film 'Sally, Irene and Mary'); Please Be Kind Carroli Gibbons and the Savoy Hotel A Wet Sheet And A Flowing Sea Orpheans with Vocal Chorus; Fox-

CHARITY BAZAAR

The grounds of King's College, Hon. Sir Robert Kotewall yesterday over the grounds, and were soon

Dutch Schultz, beer baron, was Saturday will not be known till to- temperature rose to 105 degrees last and developments of the tube system. Organizers had done their share to- and to-morrow from 3 p.m. to 11

attractive, and it, was up to those present to make it the success that it should be.

Others who spoke were Messrs. Lui Yum-suen, O. W. Luke and Ip Lan-chuen. Among those who attended were Mrs. M. K. Lo and Mr. Prior to the speeches, a three

patronized by crowds, eager to see and buy. Articles of every descrip-In a brief speech, Sir Robert re- tion were on sale, ranging from

> Musical entertainment by wellcrowds in the Great Hall of the College.

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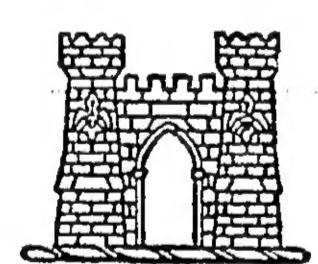
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Holy Land Deadlock

The Palestine talks in London appear to have reached au impasse, a conclusion that was forecast before they commenced. At present the chances of Mr. Malcolm MacDonald being able to find any point of common agreement between Jews and Arabs on which a compromise

extremely slim. The cases of Jews and Arabs which the respective delegates | me?" solemnly and laboriously repeat are already known to the British Government. The hoary facts have already been unearthed and laid before the Government by half a dozen official commissions to Palestine.

As bath cases are irreconcilable both sides are manoeuvring for favoured treatment by trying to frighten the Government with the international situation in relation to the strategic importance of Palestine in the event of another crisis.

A crisis is expected next month in the Mediterranean as a sequel to a Franco victory in Spain and Mussolini's demands on France, and the Arab delegation will continue to use the importance of a peaceful Palestine as a lever to gain their objectives.

This is the position at present: The Arabs insist that Jewish immigration must be stopped, must be prohibited, and an Arab National Government must be set up under which the civil and religious rights would be guaran-

immigration must be continued and that on no account must the which, it is claimed, would wreck be quite sufficient." the whole meaning and spirit of the Jewish National Home.

Another factor has been intro- to the ensemble. duced within recent monthsthe attitude of the United States.

The German persecution of the Jews has made a deep we were embarked upon.
Improved on America and the Like a bound straining at the leash, impression on America and the British Government cannot what I knew of Mrs. FitzPillsbury, nfford to alienate the growing and he literally quivered with excitement when I happened to mention that she had once been known as the United States by according to Belle of Hoxton." the Arab demands in Palestine. Peak, I called Ah Lum aside.

F YOU WERE to throw the Hongkong Bank into the harbour you could scarcely make a bigger splash than the one Mrs. FitzPillsbury made when she dove into Peak Society Circles some ten years ago.

I have nothing but admiration for Mrs. FitzPillsbury. Of tho buxom type, her disposition was as generous as her figure, and she made many friends in Hong-

though,—a very quaint way of expressing herself at times. For instance, "Lor'-luv-a-duck!" was favourite exclamation of hers.

Of her husband-Archibald-I prefer to say nothing. I will merely ask you to recall, in connection with his transfer to west Africa two years ago, the last line of

that famous little rhyme about the

Pickwick, the Owl and the Waverley I became acquainted with the FitzPillsburys through the loss of the ludy's pearl necklace.

Singularly, enough, the incident was never recorded in the Hongkong papers, so allow me to give you the

On December 24, 1931, I was sit-

ting in my office and pondering over two problems-(a) how to get hold of a cutting of enklanthus splendiferous rid of my new assistant, who was turning out to be a numskull of the first water.

The telephone bell rung; I picked up the receiver. "Yes, I am Mr. Suckling, the private detective," I said, "and you?"

of 964, the Peak." shadowed, madam?" "Lor'-luv-a-duck! No! I've lost me you."

"And you want me to find them for and see my wife." "Ain't you elever! Of course I do, that before? My husbin' isn't half cut up about it,

and he's carrying on like anyfink." "Please describe the jewels, madam, and where did you lose them?" -"It's me ten thousand dollar pearl" No, she had not missed the neck-

over the telephone," I told her, but with her permission, we would take the footprints? Did you find any?" it happens to be \$5.00 an hour, or, if a look through the house. you prefer to pay by results, ten per "You start at the top and work ing me the seat of his pants." "The cent, of the value of the necklace down, Wastics," I said, "and I will sa wong here—he make one big step

when it's recovered." Silence for several seconds.

"Supposing it ain't worth quite \$10,000," she asked, "what then?" content with an official valuation." Was it a snigger I heard?-surely good finger-print on it.

"Better come up and see me." I gave a suitable reply, and hung up the receiver.

Now for action! I mobilised the staff. "Waffles McTurbot!-Ah Lum!"

Waffles stepped forward.

"Yes, boss?" he said. I blanched as I looked at his sloping forchead.

"Where's Ah Lum?" my gardener until I promoted him that!" assistant sleuth. Now he calls him-

self "the Charlle Chan of Hongkong." "Ah Lum," I commanded, "bring two pieces no. 4 disguise chop chop, Then take ten cents petty cash, go smoky smoky shop, and catchee this" -I wrote on a piece of paper TWO land sales by Arabs to Jews FLOR DE CABBAGIO CIGARS'-"and don't forget to bring back

"You Waffles," I said, "will please try to forget for a while that you are the underpaid assistant of a famous detective and imagine yourself a respeciable sharebroker. Ah Lum will give you the necessary outfit-bowler The Jews insist that Jewish hat, gent's natty blue suit, hornrimmed glasses and spats. You may select a few articles of jewellery if you like, but don't overdo it. If you Jewish community in Palestine | take my advice, you will not attempt to light the eight that I shall give be relegated to minority status you. A little judicious chewing will

Having issued these instructions, I quickly changed my own dress, and, in a lew minutes, quite a creditable transformation had taken place in The position is a difficult one. both my own and Waffles' appear.

The Jews, however, appear to gestion from Waffles—a buttonhole hold the biggest end of the stick. certainly would put a finishing touch

> Ten minutes later we were in the Peak Tram and I was explaining to my assistants the nature of the case

Walles was all agon when I described

MRS. FITZPILLSBURY

whole thing out, the infuriated hus-

nape of his neck and catapulted him

half way across the room.

on her elbow.

and collapsed once more.

Waffles and I faded away.

him, "In England, people say you

"May be very honourable," he re-

Arrived at the office, I got the staff

"Here," I told them, "is our only

a distinct finger-print on the neck of

ed, and I despatched Ah Lum for half

a dozen bottles of soda water with

By Lichty

get 'Order of the Boot'-belong very

honourable order."

plied, "but also very sore!"

"Lor'-luv-a-duck!" Was Her Favourite Expression

SUCKLING **GEOFFREY**

She had one little peculiarity, flower beds have got footprints." Then, remembering that FitzPills- FitzPillsbury with a tape measure in finger-print it is?"
bury was a keen horticulturist, I add- his hand, and why had she changed "Vog" said wages ed: "Don't forget enklanthus splendi- into evening dress at eleven o'clock ferous-altee same Chinese call muk in the morning? sat fa-makee very nice flower; Before I had time to figure the

look very nice my garden." "Can do," said Ah Lum and band, making a bee dive for Wasses, enthily departed. had clutched the poor fish by the sleuthly departed.

Waffles and I approached the house. On the door-step was a stranger. He might be the thief.

We decided to contact him. "Excuse me, Sir," I said, lifting my you were manhandling my wife!" bowler. "Isn't this ideal weather for a little flutter? What about a few Antamoks to start with? Or I can let you have some Peak Trams very were to be thrown on the situation, say, Chief! What do you think! I've know-going up and down every my lady was lying on the bed in I jumped up. "Explain at once!" day-so you're sure to make a hand- the last throes of hysteria. some profit. Of course, if you pre-

"Wait a minute, boss!" cut Waffles. "Let me show the gentleman a nice line in Cottons. "Shut up, you fool!" I hissed in

for my garden, and (b) how to get his ear. "You're a sharebrokernot a haberdasher." Then the stranger spoke, and he

made a most extraordinary remark. "Who let you out?" he asked. I drew myself up. "I'm afraid I don't quite follow

you," I replied, "but, in ease you are · "It's Mrs. FitzPillsbury speaking, trying to be flippant, let me inform you that we are detectives, and that "I suppose you want your husband anything you say will be taken down, altered, and used in evidence against

The rude fellow laughed. At the word "jools" I recoiled he said, "and I guess you've come take this lounge lizard away," he ap- and she was always a' losing of her about the necklace. Better go inside pealed to me, "before I tread on "pearls." Woolworth pearls they Now why couldn't be have told us

Mrs. FitzPillsbury was delighted to

necklace what's gone. I was wearin' lace till she went to bed . . . Yes, the Waiting for us on the road, we it at St. Andrew's Dall last night and ballroom had been thoroughly search- found. Ah "aum. My dejection settlement can be reached are I don't know whether it's been took ed ... No, she did not suspect any- vanished as I noticed he held a cutoff from me or whether I dropped it. one Was she in the habit of lock- ting of one of the finest roots of Big as pigeons' eggs those pearls was ing her bedroom door at night?— enklanthus splendiferous I have ever -seventy-two of them. 'Ow much Lor'-luv-a-duck, what a question to seen. do you want to get them back for ask a lady! Better enquire from "Ah Lum," I murmured, patting I'm certain she isn't the type that Mr. Archibald. him on the back, "you, at least, have

"I don't as a rule discuss my fee. I thanked her, and intimated that, done your duty. Now, how about

start on the ground floor and work on my backside." It was in the pantry that I came across an important clue—a perfectly

good bottle of whisky with a finger--"In that case, madam, I should be print on it. Pardon me, I mean: a bottle of whisky with a perfectly I carefully laid the bottle in a des-"I'll pay by results," she said, patch case I had brought with me

labelled SHARES, and was just about to turn my attention to a boiled to gather round me, and I produced chicken in the refrigerator, when a the bottle of whisky. most startling thing occurred. The air was rent by a lady's pier- clue-but an important one neverthe-

eing screams, mingled with hysterical less. You will observe that there is What on earth was happening?

The sound seem to come from one compare the print with our Fingerof the bedrooms, so I dropped the Print Register. It may lead us to chicken and dashed upstairs. Archi- the thief who stole Mrs. FitzPillsbald rushed past me and flung open bury's pearls. Meanwhile I will

As we entered, Mrs. FitzPillsbury examination in the laboratory. It is was excitedly exclaiming, "Now, quite on the cards that I shall find "Don't call me boss!" I snapped, now, young fellow! Don't you get traces of dope, or"-and I lowered fresh with me! I don't mind a bottle my volce-"even of poison!" Alt Lum appeared. Ah Lum was of beer and a bit of fun, but none of They both seemed suitably impress-

What did it all mean?

GRIN AND BEAR IT

which to carry out my experiments. By the time the soda water was exhausted I had finished half the whisky but could find no trace of any deleterious matter having been added. On the contrary, it was exceedingly good whisky, and I had to. admit that, whatever other failings he might have, Archibald was no

> A further test, with plain water, might perhaps be advisable, and I was just going to draw some when

> mean judge of the staple product of

Waffles came in. "Hullo, Waffles old boyl" I said, "can you tell me which is the cold water tap? There seems to be rather a lot of them about to-day. I al-"You look see," I told him, "any Of course Warnes would be there ways thought we had only one. By but why was he bending over Mrs. the way, have you discovered whose

> "Yes," said Waffles, looking at me rather queerly I thought. "Then whose is it?" I impatiently

"Yours," he replied.

For five days the Mystery of the "Now, perhaps," he spluttered, "you Pearl Necklace lay unsolved. I had will be good enough to explain why been "waiting for a break" as our American friends would say.

And then it came—and via Waffles of all people!

It was obvious that, if any light He burst into the office with: "I cheap. They're always moving, you Wassles was the only one to do it, for found out that the pearls were false!"

But it took five minutes before "Last night at the hotel," he began, Waffles, who was completely winded, "I was shaking the wicked hoof, when was able to blurt: "I was d-d-doing who should I run into but Flassic nothing—only t-t-testing a theory." Footles. You've met Flossie, of

And then, as he grew more com- course?" posed: "The whole thing's a ghastly "I haven't had the pleasure. But

mistake. You see, I had an idea the go on!" necklace might have come undone "Well, she's a bit of a gay spark, and slipped down Mrs. FitzPillsbury's and when I mentioned about Mrs. neck, so I asked her to kindly put on FitzP, losing her pearls, what do you

the dress she was wearing at the think she said?" ball. I was taking a few measure- "I don't know," I replied. "I give ments when you fellows barged in." it up."

"I say, Sir." he went on, turning to "She said—and these were her very Archibald, "I think you owe me an words-Pearls! Pshaw! Pearls inapology-treating me like a blooming deed! Them pearls never saw the inside of an oyster shell, I'll warrant! "Me owe non an apology!" gasped Before she got hitched to Archibald. Archibald, forgetting his grammar in her ladyship was in the chorus of "I'm Mr. Archibald FltzPillsbury," the intensity of his fury. "Here, the "Belle of New York" with me. were.. Losing joolry is like second Mrs. FitzPillsbury raised herself nature to her, and, from what you tells me, it seems she's still got the "Lor'-luv-a-duck!" she screamed 'abit.'

Now what do you think of that?" I had to admit that, to say the least,

his news was startling. "But if it's true," I said, "then we're in the soup-even if we do recover the necklace-because I agreed to accept as payment ten per cent, of

its value." "Not at ali!" replied Waffes, "From my short—and none too pleasant—acquaintance with Mrs. FitzPillsbury. would admit to wearing imitation jewellery."

And then he expounded his plan. "Only this," smiled Ah Lum, show-"In the Gloucester Arcade," he said, "is a shop where, for a modest outlay, you can purchase a string of artificial pearls as good-if not better "Never mind, Ah Lum," I consoled -than the real stuff.

"I suggest we get a necklare made up, and hand it over to Mrs. FitzP. She's sure not to notice the difference, and then all we have to do is to bung in our bill. It's as simple

as falling off a log!" I considered his suggestion. Yes,

it seemed workable. "Waffles," I said, "we will adopt your plan and act immediately. By the way, I have decided to increase your pay this month by \$25....

Walles brightened. ... which means," I continued, the bottle. I want you, Waffles, to "that, this month, you will receive \$25 less than last month."

His face visibly wilted. "I d-d-don't quite follow," he stammered. empty the contents into a jug for "To use one of your pet similes,"

replied, "it's as easy as falling off a log. Let me explain. "This morning, in view of your disgraceful exhibition of parlour tricks up the Peak, I made up my mind to cut your salary by \$50. Now, influenced by the fact that the mechanism in your cranium at last shows signs of ticking over, I have decided to give you an increase of \$25. The net result will therefore be:-exactly \$25 less than last

month." I left him to his mental calculations, and sent Ah Lum for a neckless of 72 synthetic pearls "as big as

pigeons' 'eggs." When It arrived I set out for the Peak-alone this time.

I rang the bell of no. 964.

"Master at home?" "Yes." I entered. Archibald came forward. He look-

ed none too pleased. "I have much pleasure," I said, "in informing you that I have recovered Mra, FitzPillsbury's necklace, Perhaps you will have a look at it, and, if it's in order, it will no doubt be a pleasure to you to write me out a cheque for \$1,000."

"\$1,000 be---!" he replied. "What shady game are you up to now? How can you have found my wife's necklace when she never lost it?" "Never lost it!" I foltered. "What

do you mean?" "Exactly what I say. My wifefound it in'her jewel case this mornling. She must have forgotten to put it on before she went to the ball." The horror of the situation slowly

dawned on me. "And, if you're not out of the housein two minutes," said Archibald, "I'll telephone for the police."

When you have time, come along and see my enkianthus splendiferous. Just now it's in full bloom.



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OVERNIGHT NEWS PAGE

Shanghai

City Is Ready For Trouble

Tension Heightens

BARBED - WIRE barricades and another slightly injured. throughout Shanghai's streets have given the city the appearance it has often had during its turbulent days. The barricades have been erected by the Municipal Council, it is believed, in preparation for a series of systematic raids to round-up the eign Minister. undesirable elements responsible for the recent wave of terrorism. to-night, following the anti-German

ruply to the Japanese demands, but has declined to make the contents known because of the Japanese desire that the negotiations be kept confidential. The Japanese are said to be dis- and fought with the German stusatisfied with the reply.

The Japanese press in Shanghai continues its advocacy of the Japanese raiding the Settlement, and the Nanking Reformed Government threatens to regard the Settlement and French Concession as enemy

land unless the outrages cease. Remarkably strict precautions were taken by the foreign police during the funeral on Saturday of Chen Lu, Foreign Minister in the Nanking regime, who was assassinated last

week. In Tientsin the Japanese have erected barricades between the British and former German Concessions and practically encircled the United States Marines Barracks. The Marines have entered a protest against the action.

Shanghai, Feb. 25. The Tairlieu Shimbun, in an editorial to-day, declares that because of the terrorism Japanese troops should resort to military mopping-up operations in the International Settlement without diplomatic and political negotiations.---

Press Comment

United Press.

Tokyo, Feb. 26. The Chinese plan for forcing international complications between Great Britain and other foreign Powers by letting loose terrorist demonstrators in the International Settlement and the French Concession in Shanghai will only defent its own purpose, a Shanghai

press message declares. Quoting the opinion of foreign residents in Shanghai, the message points out that the present unrest, if continued, would give Japan occasion to occupy the International Settlement and the French Concession, in which eventuality she might be expected to confiscate all banks and other property of the Kuomintang Government in the Settlement and the French Concession on behalf of

the new regime in China. The message further quotes the opinion of foreign residents in Shanghal that the current international situation makes it impossible for Great Britain, America and France to prevent Japan from so occupying the Settlement and French Concession, if circumstances should lead her to do so.-Domei.

Nanking's Threat

Nanking, Feb. 25. Declaring that the foreign settlements in Shanghai were virtually under the control of the British and French authorities, a spokesman of the Reformed Government said that unless the authorities concerned manifest in actual practice their intention to discontinue assistance the Chiang Kai-shek regime the settlements would be regarded as "the enemy's land."

with their bases established in the United Press. Settlement should be regarded as belonging to the Settlement, and we feel the necessity of taking independent and positive measures in seifdefence against them," the spokesman added .- Domei.

"Haunts of Devll"

Tokyo, Feb. 26. East Asia, the Asahi Shimbun, lead- | Japanese protest. ing Japanese daily newspaper here, I informed quarters understand that declares that the problem of the the Japanese authorities consider Settlement forms the "cancer" in the "lukewarm" the counter-measures as proposed construction of a new order suggested in the Municipal Council's as the ultimate objective of the China reply for a possible prevention of Legislative Assembly

"Even if the present Sino-Japanese rages in the Settlement. ing to develop a truly independent State to eradicate the Settlement which is nothing but a relie of the past ago.

"It is natural and timely that the defence and police forces along the that Japan on her side should keep a strict outlook on the attitude of the Municipal Council," the paper concludes.-Domei.

Reply to Demands

Shanghai, Feb. 25. The Municipal Council replied to the Japanese demands to-day but de-clined to reveal the contents of their answer because of the Japanese re-Municipal Council authorities.— Jewish delegation to-day, but Dr. concessions so long as these were ings of these words will be found on answer because of the Japanese request that the negotiations be kept

German-Polish Relations Strained

DEMONSTRATIONS STUDENTS AT CRACOW

WARSAW Feb. 25. ANTI-GERMAN demonstrations similar to those in Poznan and Warsaw, are reported to have taken place in central Cracow, the ancient capital of the Polish kings.

After a meeting at Cracow Unithe German students' home shouting China anti-Nazi slogans.

Twenty forced their way in and are alleged to have assaulted 12 German students with walking-sticks and other implements...

One German student was reriously The Polish students demolished the furniture, and escaped before the arrival of the police .- Trans-Ocean,

> Apology Tendered Warsaw, Feb. 25.

It is understood that an official apology has been offered to the German Ambassador by the Pollsh For-Twenty-five mounted and police guarded the German Embassy

The Council has delivered its demonstrations in Warsaw, Cracow, Poznan, Lwow and Vilna. A mass meeting of students and professors held in the Warsaw Poly-

technic passed a resolution urging a boycott of German goods. Polish students raided the German Students' Club in Cracow, last night

dents, breaking the furniture. The demonstrations were repeated to-day in Poznan and Vilna .- Renter, be accompanied by the large scale economy the Bill ought to be pre-Scene at Warrior's Tomb

Warsaw, Feb. 25. Clane, who is visiting Warsaw, exploitation efforts, afterwards laid a wreath.-Reuter

Resisting Both Axes

Berlin axis during the coming con- United Press. versations with the Italian Foreign Minister, Count Galeazzo Ciano. Poland's policy of "flirting" with

the axis but maintaining her own freedom of action was described by a government spokesman to the United Press. It can be assumed that this summarises what high offitell Count Ciano.

with the Rome-Berlin axis. Poland Peking-Hankow railway. wished to remain aloof from any axis Mr. Hsiao Jui-chen, Governor of but at the same time wishes to main- Honan, arrived here on Wednesday tain good relations with individual to open the new Provincial Governpartners of both the Rome-Berlin ment to business. axis and the London-Paris exis.

decisive factor in Central and East- new army to be placed at the disern Europe, so why change this posal of Wu upon his inauguration policy? If we link ourselves with of a pacification campaign.—Done! either axis, then we lose our valuable position as the holder of the balance of power."-United Press. Clane in Warsaw

Warsaw, Feb. 25. ter, Colonel Joseph Beck, on econo- the Minister of Communications. mie, political and cultural collaboration between the two countries.

Gayda, noted commentator of Gior- of buildings outside Chien Men gate, nale d'Italia .- Reuter.

clare, however, that the reply re- United Press. cognised that Japan had legitimate aspirations without compromising the Council's sovereignty. Diplomatic circles report that the

American Consulate is assuming a stiffer attitude to Japan, although the was again filled to capacity on Saturexact issues involved have not been revealed. Strength is given to this of modern Chinese choral composireport by the fact that the United tions given by the Church's choir, States Consulute-General has resumed its wartime appearance. The chung, Consul-General, Mr. Gauss, working to a late hour to-night and five de-coders continued at their "So long as the Settlement is the desks throughout the day, handling enemy's land, foreign vessels moving an extremely heavy exchange of along the coast and the Yangtse River communications with Washington .-

Japanese Dissatisfied

Shanghai, Feb. 26. Hopes for an early amicable settlement of the threatening situation arising from the recent terroristic demonstrations in the International Settlement, suffered a setback as the Japanese authorities were understood Describing the International Settle- to have been dissatisfied with the ment as "the haunts of devils" in Municipal Council's reply to the

further occurrence of terroristic out- established, ..

Municipal Council requesting for the It is understood that both sides St. James's Palace. a fresh representation with the country.

attititude." from Mr. C. S. Franklin, Chairman, Baghdad General Nuri Said praised dence without Jewish consent and institute strict policing measures of the Municipal Council's reply to Mr. MacDonald's patience and good co-operation, and stress that apart around the Settlement and station its their protest of February 22, Japan- temper and paid a tribute to Mr. from the validity of the Jewish ese military, naval and consular off- Chamberlain's vision and statesman- claims on the ground of uncient hisclais including Major-General ship. He said that the Arabs have torical right, the actual position of boundaries. It goes without saying clais including Major-General ship. He said that the Jews in Palestine seems definitely that Japan on her side should keep a Sakural, Commander of the Japanese been greatly impressed by Mr. Cham- the Jews in Palestine seems definitely Garrison in the Shanghal area, and berlain's recent hundling of European to preclude the effective establish-Mr. Yoshinki Miura, Japanese problems and this stimulated hope ment of an independent State to

> conference last night. It was understood that the Japan- fer. ese requests made in the original Domet.

New Peace Plan Is Envisaged

Pelping, Feb. 26. A new plan for peace, in which when the Defence Loans Bill will be participate, is under the consideration of the Provisional Government. The plan calls for the establishment of a new Kuomintang Government at Nanking, under the chairmanship of Wang Ching-wei and with Chiang taking a high post.

This, it is held, would preserve the i Chinese attachment to Sun Yat-sen and the Kuomintang flag, but Sun ment which, whilst recognising the Yat-sen's three principles would be regrettable necessity for the uppresubject to Japanese interpretation.

Central and South China, coincident co-ordination of services, organisa-Two thousand students demon- with intensified mopping-up opera- tion of supply and climination strated at the tomb of the Polish tions in North China, where the of excessive private profits.-British Unknown Warrior, where Count Japanese will concentrate their Wireless.

Some Chinese circles report that the plan provides offering Third Warsaw, Feb. 25. | Powers economic exploitation rights Poland will stoutly resist all efforts in North China in the event of to induce her to join the Rome- those Powers acting as mediators,-

PLANS BIG RECEPTION FOR WU PEI FU

Faifeng, Feb. 25. While preparations are being made tance flying record. by the recently established Pacification Commission for welcoming Wu cials of the Polish Government will Pel-fu at his field-headquarters, the Honan Provincial Government under The government spokesman said the control of the Provisional Govthat "the most important thing is that ernment has formally been transwe are alming at closer friendships ferred here from Changteh on the

Wu's lieutenants, including H "The between-axis policy served Yu-kun and Chen Tung-sheng, are Poland well. Poland has become a busily engaged here in organizing a

PEIPING MINISTRY

Peiping, Feb. 26. The Provisional Government will ishortly announce the formation of a The Italian Foreign Minister and Shortly announce the formation of a Countess Cieno arrived in Warsaw Ministry of Communications, which to-day on a five-day visit to Poland, will absorb the present Reconstruc-Count Clano will have a series of tion Bureau, the head of which, Yun talks with the Polish Foreign Minis- Tung, is the favoured candidate for

Anti-Japanese Slogans

Peiping for the first time since the bers of the British Commonwealth Count Clano's suite includes 15 beginning of the war when chalk of Nations.-British Wireless: journalists, among whom is Signor scrawls were discovered on the walls near the principal shopping centre of the Chinese city. The police are confidential. Informed sources de-still searching for the writers.-

CHURCH MUSIC

The hall of the Hop Yat Church day evening, when the second recital

Palestine

Britain To Submit Plan To Arab And Jew Delegates

London, Feb. 25. The British Government's tentative plan regarding Palestine will be submitted to the Arab and Jewish delegations on Monday. Details of the plan have not been disclosed officially, but it is believed that it will be the stepping stone to the ultimate creation of a Palestine State with equal rights for all citizens, safeguards for the Jewish minority and a defensive alliance with Great Britain.

latter's "reconsideration of its have been given a brief outline of

Consul-General, met in an emergency that he will find an equitable solu- which they would not be a party.

Jewish Vlews

As a transitional measure a Jewish Agency, accompanied Mr. composed of Arab, Executive of the Jewish Agency, and II and tectotaler, is expected to incidents on the western frontier in " established, composed the members, and M. Shertok, Head of the Political make a drive shortly against stimu- the past month,—Domet, The Japanese authorities, the same Jews and Arabs may be invited to Department of the Jewish Agency in lands and tobacco, which would save was incumbent on the Chinese wish- quarters believe, are likely to lodge share in the executive control of the tion with Mr. Malcolm MacDonald at Jewish circles consider it incom-

prehensible that any proposal should Following receipt on Saturday Before leaving London to-day for be made to grant Palestine indepen-

tion to the Palestine problem.—Reu- : It is thought that the informal tripartite talks yesterday aided clariflention of the respective attitudes of London, Feb. 25. the Jews and Arabs and made clear Chaim Weizmann, President of the mutual.-Reuter.

U.S. Defences

Needs

Hungary's

HONCKONC TELEGRAPH

BUDAPEST, Feb. 26. IN A SPECIAL broadcast outlining the nation's duties, the Prime Minister said there must be complete reconstruction of the army at the price of every effort and even sacrifice. The country should be strengthened economically and all social problems solved, not by decree, but in a spirit of mutual comprehension of the rights of each other.-Reuter!

Britain

days next week.

DEFENCE **DEBATES** THIS WEEK

London, Feb. 25. Various aspects of the Government's defence plans will be debated in the House of Commons in three

On Monday the battle will begin Chiang Kal-shek may be invited to discussed on the second reading and on the second reading and on following days a wide range of subjects, including the shelter policy, evacuation, billeting and food supplies, will be reviewed in the debate on the

supplementary estimates for civil

defence and national service. On Monday the Labour Opposition will move a reasoned amendcedented defence programme, invites the House to express that in the in-It is understood that the plan will terests of efficiency and public withdrawal of Japanese troops from ceded by more effective measures for

Long-range Flying

London, Feb. 25. Sir Kingsley Wood, the Al Minister, in a speech to-day said that the flight to Australia last year was a further stride forward in the plans of the Royal Air Force to develop long-range flying in the interest of British defence.

The performance was one of the most notable of British enterprises. the capture of the world's long-dis-Those great qualities of courage and daring were still with the Force

and with the recruits who were of a high quality and who were joining in large numbers. The flight was, however, but one stage in the progress of the longrange development unit which had

steadily continued since its formation in January, 1938. The unit had worked throughous with normal service types of aircraft, modified where desirable in matters

Previously notable flights, together with the magnificent record breaking journey to Australia, offered true appreciation of what had been accomplished.

had recently observed that up to now the great impediment to getting full Guam item, but even in such an value from Britain's strategie. routes had been the gap between Britain and Egypt. It had now been demonstrated

how small was the impediment, and it was decreasing rapidly. In the realm of Empire defence the pessibilities opened up must be He was met by Colonel Beck at Anti-Japanese slogans appeared in a source of satisfaction to all mem-

> London Vulnerable London, Feb. 25. "Even the most powerful air defence cannot safeguard London from

Ashmore, who for the last two years | ing sane public opinion. has been commanding the London Air Defence Forces, . Major General Ashmore is con- also towards the Far East," the

vinced that at least during the first Yomiuri counsels. part of a war it will be impossible "The voting down of the Guain to prevent the dropping of bombs on defence plan by the American House London. Only in the course of time of Representatives shows that there under the direction of Mr. Fung Hin- would it be possible to reach a state is an identity of views between the where the dropping of bombs of op- Japanese naval authorities and the The proceeds were for the relief of ponents could be checked completely. American Lower House regarding -Trans-Occan-

JAPAN IS PLEASED BY GUAM BASE REJECTION

The rejection by the United States House of Representatives of the Guam proposal has caused disappointment in the Philippine Islands and in China, although in both countries a philosophical view is taken of the decision of the House not to pass the appropriation for the dredging of the harbour.

In Shanghai it is feared that the rejection may mean the reversal of Japan's policy of appeasement around foreign areas, which has been most noticeable recently. In Chungking it is pointed out that the rejection does not necessarily mean abandonment of the plan to strengthen the Pacific defences of the United States. Possibly large scale resolutions will be presented to the Senate, comments the Ta Kung Po.

The Japanese papers splash the news of the rejection. One holds that peace on the Pacific has been strengthened by the modification of the bill.

DECISION STRENGTHENS PACIFIC PEACE

Tokyo, Feb. 25. The rejection of the defence plan for Guam Island by the American House of Representatives was splashed by all evening newspapers under banner headlines yesterday.

The Asahi Shimbun says that it is a matter for congratulation to both America and Japan that peace on the Pacific has been strengthened by the modification in the American naval air base bill.

The paper says that \$5,000,000 spent on the fortification of Guam Island will only serve to stimulate Japanese sentiments. It adds that needless international complications must always be avoided.

The Kokumin Shimbun says that the prestige of President Roosevelt may possibly have gone with the Guam defence plan.

The Yomiuri, Shimbun pays a tribute to the American Congress for its "sound common sense" with which it eliminated the Guam defence plan. The paper says that armament and "stimulation of other Powers" form a vicious circle because fresh armament causes "simulation of sentiments" in other nations which in turn feeds new armament,-Domci.

Victory for Isolationists

Tokyo, Feb. 26. The omission means a victory for

the Isolationist group in the United An able authority on air strategy States, the Japan Times declares, "The Senate might still poss the eventuality it is unlikely that there will be any change of attitude in the Lower House, Rather, indications are that the action of the Lower House will be a stimulus to the faction in the Upper House opposing Roosevelt's foreign policy."

"The virtual killing of the Guam fortification plan is destined to play a vital role in influencing the policies of the Roosevelt administration into a more moderate and sensible

The Hochi Shimbun considers that the development of the Guam debombs in case of war," is the opinion | fence defics, prediction, although so expressed by Major General E. D. far it has succeeded only in awaken-

"Congress should review America's policy not only toward Guam but

Guam Island, a fact which is full of signficance for the future of the Pacific," the Nicht Nicht observes. The paper recalls that the Navy Minister, Admiral Yonai, stated that much importance to the reported ese patrols on the western frontier fortification of Guam, because detached fortifications only weaken nation's fighting strength,-Domei,

Tobacco

BERLIN. may be David Bengurion, Chairman of the HITLER, non-smoker, vegetarian These were the seventh series of

> While the Fuchrer will not attack the Germans' beloved beer, it is expected that he will call on his fol- Government has decided to strength lowers to boycott coffee, ten, cocon its measures for the prevention of and tobacco.

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Border Affair

Russian-Japanese Tension

Harbin, Feb. 26. A Soviet soldier was killed in a Cities and Town Planning Associaclash between the Soviet and Japan- tion. on the Argun River on February 23 when about 50 Soviet cavalrymen course on social grounding in the opened fire without warning on the past but vulnerability in time of war Japanese border patrols near Liupien, said Lord Lytton had given new in the district of Sanho.

guards were again attacked by Soviet of London .- British Wireless. troops while patrolling near Szepien, five miles south-west of the border outpost at Sanho.

MANCHUKUO MEASURES Hsinking, Feb. 25.. With its formal participation in the anti-Comintern pact, the Manchulcuo

subversive manoeuvres by Communist elements, as well as for collecting information regarding the activity of the Comintern. The Government authorities stress

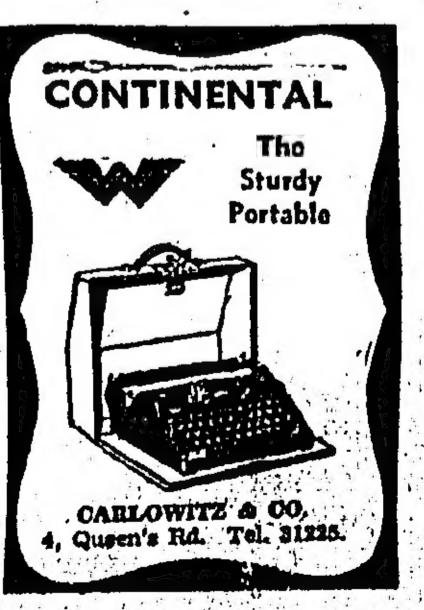
that stricter measures than in other LIOW many of these words are signatories to the anti-Comintern pact are necessary in Manchukuo because of its propinguity to the Soviet Union and the Holshevised

Outer Mongolin. Seeking cooperation of North and Central China and Inner Mongolia, English Oxford Dictionary spell- the Lionchukup Government will send unti-Comintern commissioners to these districts.-Domei.

Phone 57341. LONDON EXPANSION Planned Decentralisation

Of Industry Urged London, Fcb. 25. A strong plea to the Government to adopt a policy of planned decentralisation of industry was made by Lord Lytton when addressing the 40th annual meeting of the Garden

The Association has urged this urgency to the demand. In factory The Japanese responded to the trades alone London had nearly one Hitler To Ban attack and following two hours of quarter of the workers of England and Wales and he hoped a halt would On February 24, Japanese border be called to continue the expansion



ROSE ELECT OR NAVYLIGHT FOR HONGKONG DERBY?

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

IMPRESSED IN THEIR RACES LAST SATURDAY

Many Important Events On The Card To-day

Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Rose Elect ... or ... Mr. Cire's Navylight to win the Hongkong Derby to-day?

This is a problem which has been confronting race-goers for some weeks. It was expected that Saturday's racing, the first opportunity pun-ters had of seeing the ponies in a genuine race, would throw some light on the problem. But did it? One wonders.

Saturday's events were that Rose find a suitable jockey for to-day's Elect has plenty of speed-a fact big race. Mr. H. C. Pih took out which everyone who has seen the Navylight on Saturday, but Mr. morning gallops is aware -- and that Moller expressed the hope that Mr Navylight scems to like a longhish J. Pote-Hunt, a friend of his, would race-which has never been really ride it in the Derby race.

confirmed. But the point now seems to be this: Will Rose Elect, which created a new record for six furlongs in the Bridge in the Trial Plate was very Malden Stakes on Saturday (bent- disappointing indeed, and it does not ing King's Warden's best of 1.24.3). seem likely that this candidate will be able to keep it up in the longer be of any danger to Rose Elect or Derby distance? If she can, she will Navylight. Before this race was probably win despite the fact that run, however, there were many Navylight, in winning the Trial people who thought Hyndford Bridge Plate, had no opposition at all from up to the standard of these two, but the rest of the field.

GOOD PERFORMANCES

Elect, and Eve of Harvest and Con- subscription China ponies. quering Time were following Navy- Desert Chief, who broke a record

morning. Therefore we ought to see be taken out in the latter race only a very fast race if Liberty Bay's -a cinch for her. Derby record is not lowered.

disappointed that his son, Mr. R. B. surprise. Moller, who rode Slikylight to vic- Confusion Bay, it is understood, tory in the Derby and Champions at will not weigh out for any events the last annual meeting cannot take at the Carnival, as she is under a out Navylight owing to a recurrence cloud.

The only things established by, of an old ailment, but he hopes to

VERY DISAPPOINTING

The form shown by Hyndford opinion must have changed quickly after the finish of the Trial Plate.

Apart from the Derby, there are Both performances were extremely many interesting races on the card impressive, and there seems little to-day, including the Lusitano Cup, doubt that the first place in the Blue Garrison Cup, Victoria Stakes, Ex-Riband is between the two. Lilliber change Plate, Chater Cup and the and Blue Express were behind Rose Challenge Cup. Only two are for

light in that order; but in each case, on Saturday, has been entered in there was a clear-cut superiority of only one race, the Victoria Stakes, the winner over the rest of the field. Therefore she is almost certain to dry and is conducive to fast time, as be hers. Silkylight has been entered proved by the three records for Victoria Stakes and the Chalestablished in five races on Saturday lenge, but it is expected that she will

If there are upsets to-day, they As only to be expected, both will probably be caused by ponies owners are supremely confident of which were left at the starting gate their candidates' ability to win the on Saturday. There were several of them. The public, therefore, are Mr. Eric Moller, for instance, still in the dark regarding their conthinks Navylight will win, though he dition, and if their jockeys can get acknowledges that Rose Elect is a them away with the bunch in to-"very line animal." He is very day's races, one or two may cause a

South China Held 1-1 In Charity Soccer

Game Needs To

Be Left Alone

Major Jewell. "It needs leaving)

vice-chairman.

shire professional.

re-elected president.



Mr. C. L. Gregory brought Strathbannock home to an easy win in the second section of the Wong Nel Chong Stakes at Happy Valley on Saturday to pay the highest dividend of the day, \$69.50. Picture shows the winner at the post.—Photo by Jaffer.

GUIDE TAKE THIS RACE COURSE WITH YOU TO-DAY

The following are the entries for the races at Happy The track at the moment is very start, in which case the race should Valley to-day. Numbers in front of the ponies' names indicate where they finished in their last three starts.

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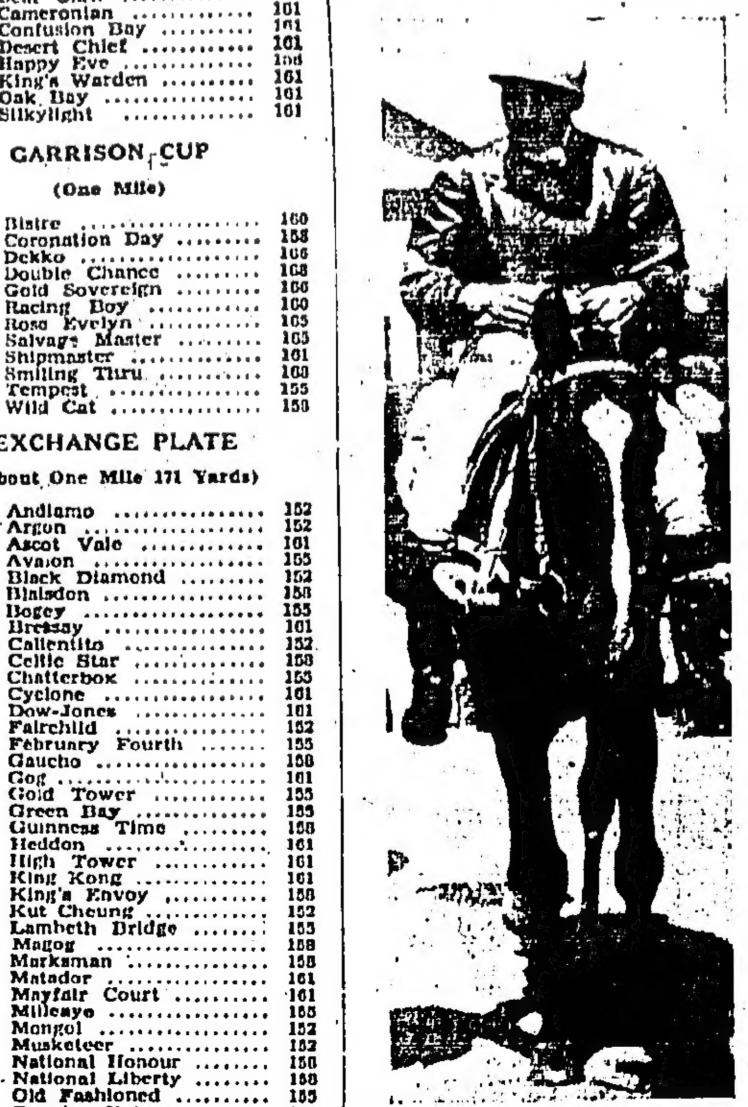
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favoured lu many quarters to win the Hongkong Derby to-day. On him is Mr. C. Encarnacao, who will be riding him in the big race this

RECORD OF SCORING NOT HELPLESS IN GOAL IN EACH MATCH MODERN CRICKET

Rest Side Draw Level In The Closing Minutes

(By "Abe")

Though obviously the better side in many respects, the South China A.A. were held to a draw of ,1-1 in the ing in Worcester of the Worcestercharity soccer match in aid of the China Relief Fund played "The game is all right," declared at Caroline Hill yesterday.

alone. Much has been said about the over preparation of wickets, who had been originally selected from falling. Once a misunder-We were told that it was impossi- weakened the Rest side considerably, standing by Hou and Hartley let in ble to turn the ball upon them, and the forward line seldom showed Law Tau-man, but the left wing, Even if this was so, the bowler still any real combination. There were with a yawning goal in front of has further darts up his sleeve in some good individual efforts but few him, shot outside. On another ocealength, flight, change of pace and concerted ones. Moss was a hard- slon the same player had a grand working centre-forward, but was chance of adding to the score, but "If bowlers were to remember given little support by his inside shot wildly. this," he went on, "and concentrate men, who seldem kept up with him, on using these essential factors of thus leaving him with too much to good bowling, they would do better do, Courtney, for instance, was than just grousing about the state hanging too far back most of the of breaking a way through the Chitime, and Rides, playing out of his nese defence continued to fall. His

to put in a shot himself.

fact that against such a fine South scoring with Cheung still out of his China attack they conceded only one charge. goal is tribute enough to their to the able work of Beltrao at centre- with the scores dead-locked at 1-1. half, who kept a firm hold on Lce

shing, at left-half, was also in good played with such conspicuous sucform, though he was given a trying cess with the Chinese team in the time by Fung King-cheung and Tang last tour to Salgon, and Tam Chan-Kwong-sum. Honniball, on the fai, a Third Division half-back. other flank, however, was not quite Cheung gave a very cool and clever up to the standard of the others and display, and Tam gave evidence of provided the only weak link in an promise as a half-back. otherwise admirable defence.

NEGATIVE FOOTBALL

With nothing at stake, the South China players did not seem to be going all out. They showed a bit of chol; Mak Siu-hon, Li Tin-sang; Lau pretty, if negative, football in mid- Hing-choi, Leung Wing-chlu, Tam field, but once they had got to within Chan-fai; Tang Kwong-sum, Fung shooting distance, Hou Yung-sang, King-cheung, Lee Wai-tong, La Beltrao and Sheehan saw to it that Shiu-wing and Law Tau-man. they were not given any chance to

sheet was still blank, but twelve Courtney, Moss, Rides and Thomas. minutes after the resumption, South China took the lead, through Lee Wai-tong. The Rest defenders seemed to be under the impression that Lee was off-side, and Hartley made no attempt to stop the shot, but the referee apparently had no doubt at all that it was a goal.

Shortly after this, Mak Siu-hon tact, went back to fill Mak's position they play the V.R.C. at right back.

In spite of Lee's absence, the V.R.C. Chinese made several dangerous Recrelo raids, and only poor finishing by the K. Tong "A"

The absence of several players | forwards prevented the Rest goal

SCORES LEVELLED

On Moss' broad shoulders the task It was announced that Gibbons usual position, never seemed really was a lone battle, however, though would receive over £900 from his happy at inside left. Thomas made the wingers made several fine runs benefit—a record for a Worcester- several good runs down the left wing, from passes flung out by him. But but made the cardinal fault of look- in one of these, fortunately for the The Hon. Charles Lyttelton was ing around for his inside men when Rest, Courtney and Rides kept up re-elected captain of Worcestershire, better results might have been with the attack, and the scores were and his father, Lord Cobham, was obtained by cutting in and trying levelled. Thomas cut in and shot, In defence, however, the Rest were Chinese goal-keeper, got his hands the equals of their opposite num- to the ball, he failed to hold it and bers. Hou Yung-sang and Sheehan it went out to the right. Emberson were a steady pair of backs, and swung it back to the middle and Hartley was very safe in goal. The Courtney took a first-time shot,

This occurred four minutes from ability. But this was also due partly the end, and the final whistle blew . South China tried out two com-Wai-tong all the time the latter was parative "unknowns" yesterday, up in the forward line. Hsu King- Cheung Wing-choi (in goal), who

The Chinese never seemed to be going all out. The pace, as a result, wis inclined to be slow throughout the whole match.

South China A.A.—Cheung Wing-

Rest of Colony,-Hartley; Hou Yung-sang, Sheehan; Honniball, When half-time arrived, the score Beltrao, Hau King-shing; Emberson,

Matches To-night

Three matches are down for dehurt his ankle during a Rest raid, elsion in the "B" Division of the Badand was out of the game for the minton League this evening. St. remainder of the match. Lee Wal- Andrew's "A", who are leading this tong, who had already kept his section of the League, should advance record of scoring in every match in- another step towards the title when

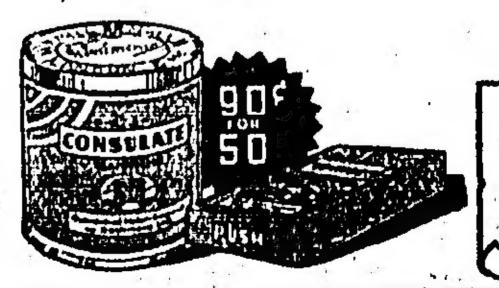
The programme is as follows: v. St. Andrew's "A"

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Lucky Lad Lancashire Chips Able Amazon Navylight

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10th Raco Silkylight King's Warden Red Feather

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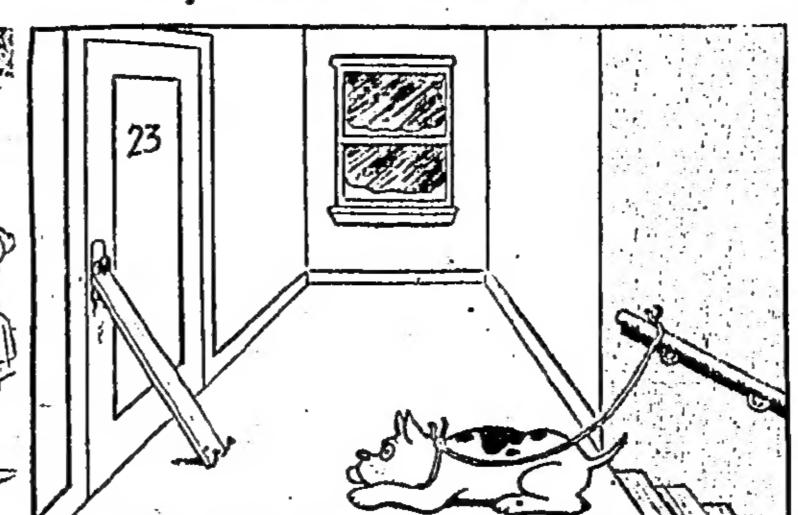
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HOLD INTERPORT HOCKEY

Many Players on View In Preparation For The Visit to Shangai

(By "The Pilgrim")

The first Ladies' Hockey Interport trial was held at King's Park yesterday morning. Two games of 40 minutes each were played, giving many players a chance to be seen in action.

There was one casualty during the course of the trial, Miss H. Bockler spraining an ankle in the first game, necessitating her leaving the field. Mrs. Ackroyd filled the vacancy at centre forward.

Colours, who had most of the play in the first game, scored through Miss D. McCaw in the second half. A nice movement by Miss J. Ewing on the right wing resulted in the goal being 'scored. This was , the only goal scored and both teams were very evenly-matched.

Of the respective goal-keepers, Mrs. Lunson, Colours, was more reliable than Miss J. Hall, of St. Andrew's, and the Colours' backs, Miss (Colours) and Miss I. Woolley team at King's Park by 3-2. (Whites). The latter, in my estima-

positional play. Booker were not at their best.

The Whites' attack was more impressive. Miss M. Shand, at inside doing some very useful work. The M. Booker-J. Ewing partnership also shaped well on the right

flank. wingers, Miss J. Greig, on the right, and Miss M. Westcott, on the left, were the best forwards, though Mrs. Dalzied at inside left, worked hard.

SECOND GAME

In the second game, which was still in the lead at half-time. won by the Colours 1-0, several fresh players were introduced into both teams, and a few positional changes tack got going and by means of some Miss G. White and Mrs. Wilmot out- mostly pressing, although Mrs. Dal- Middlesex .. 18 8 3 7 39 34 19 shone Miss P. Everest and Miss R. ziel and Miss Purvis, for the visitors, Smlth.

Miss I. Woolley was seen at right In the last five minutes, however, combining well with Miss M. Shand E. Grey prevented their scoring. for the Whites.

Whites, was also in the picture with particularly in the second half, was a her great spoiling work, receiving distinct feature of the game. able support from Miss A. Smith at centre-half.

interesting as the first, as several ed forward line displayed more dash, names were submitted by the vari- their understanding and finishing left ous clubs and players and to be much to be desired. given a trial to prove their worth. Several well-known players were not seen in action and their chances for the Interport cannot be ignored. I shall make further comments on

Thursday. Mrs. Webb informs me that there will be another trial next Sunday morning.

__ SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Recreio Defeat Panthers By One Run Margin

Scores of yesterday's games are as

Men's League English Forum 6, Machine Gun-

ners 5. Filipinos 12, Central British 3. Women's League Recreio 19, Ponthers 18,

Inter-Hong League Green Spots 21, R.A.F. 11. Socony 27, China Underwriters 5. Hongkong Shonghal: Bank 25, National City Bank 8.

..... Friendly Club de Recreio 12, U.S.S. Min-

Surprise Saints XI

(By "The Pilgrim")

Though having only ten players, the Hongkong Ladies G. White and Miss M. Roza, were gave St. Andrew's a shock in the superior to Miss Moss and Mrs. Wil- Caer Clark Cup on Saturday tween the pivots, Miss J. Wong when they defeated the home

The Suints started off at a fast tion, was slightly better with her pace and it looked at one time as if the Hongkong Ladies were in for a Mrs. I. Stone, the Colours' right-half, was the best wing-half on view, with Miss D. Watson the Whites' left-half, running a close they, were on the defensive most of second. Miss H. Reld and Miss J. the time, the Hongkong Ladies found the net on two occasions to take the

The first goal followed a movement | Club left, and Miss D. McCaw, at centre started by Mrs. Dalziel who, at the Middlesex forward, formed a good combination half-way line, sent the ball out to the with Miss D. Hunt on the left wing left wing. Miss Purvis caught the St. Joseph's 2 Navy ball on the run and with great speed cut in to equalise with a grand shot. Almost immediately Miss M. Smalley, after a good run on the right wing, put across an excellent centre. Mrs. Dalziel was unmarked and before Miss J. Hall could get out, the centre forward had the ball. in the net.

Thereafter the home side attacked | Electric up the middle but poor shooting by P.W.D. their forwards saw Hongkong Ladies

SECOND HALF After the interval, the Saints' utmade. Miss D. Moss in goal for the good passing and speedy following up, Navy 17 13 3 1 59 22 29 Colours gave a better display than equalised through Miss F. Wong. All S. China "A" 14 11 0 3 50 12 22-Mrs. Read and the Colours' backs, through this half, the Saints were Eastern 14 9 1 4 38 29 19 were always a source of danger.

half for the Colours and Mrs. Mrs. Dalziel, in a breakaway, just Williams at left-half; both gave a managed to tip the ball over the goalgood account of themselves. Miss line to put the Hongkong Ladies again | Club 17 4 1 12 31 62 9 Harker, at inside right, showed good in the lead-after Miss Hall had misform and may go close to the final kicked a clearance. The end was selection. Miss D. Hunt and Miss near and though St. Andrew's press-M. Westcott, the respective left ed hard, the staunch defensive work wingers, changed places, the latter of Miss Pope, Mrs. M. Bell and Miss

Mrs. Lunson was in excellent form Miss Greaves, at left half for the in the visitors' goal and her play, Miss G. White, Miss J. Wong and

Miss H. Reid did well in the Saints' This game, however, was not as defence, and though their re-arrang-

BRITISH **PLAYERS** BEATEN

Capetown, Feb. 25. In the third and last Lawn Tennis test match which is being played here, Britain, so far, has been beaten In all matches. The results to-day

N. G. Farquharson (S. Africa) beat R. A. Shayes (Britain) 6-3, 6-4. Miss Olive Craze (S. Africa) beat Miss Rosemary Thomas (Britain)

0-3, 7-5. Kirby and Mrs. C. J. Robbins (S Africa) beat Shayes and Miss Jean vice Cricket Club at their courts at Sounders (Britain) 6-2, 6-4. D. Butler and Miss Valerie Scott be held next Sunday, March 5, com-(Britain) · 6-0, 5-7, 7-5.

Monday,-Reuter.

TOURNAMENT POSTPONED The fermis tournament which was

The match will be resumed on for the tournament will be \$1. OUR SPELLING BEE (see page 7)



HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

A scene of the French revolution, from "Marie Antoinette," starring Norma Shearer and Tyrone Power. The picture, which marks the return to the screen of Norma Shearer, who is reported to be gravely ill at the moment, is now being shown at the King's Theatre. The two stars are shown in the inset.

FOOTBALL RESULTS

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 Not played. THIRD DIVISION "A" 0 Kit Chee - R.E.

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R. Scots		14	1	4	68	18	2
Kwong Wah.	19	11	0	8	54	53	2
R. Engineers	16	8	0	8	53	43	-1
R.A.O.C	18	7	2	Ð	53	56	1
Kowloon	19	7	0	12	34	.48	-1
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HVEGER'S RECORD

Copenhagen, Feb. 25. Ranghild Hyeger, the famous Danish girl swimmer, succeeded on Friday evening in improving on her own world record for the 500 metres free style, from 6 mins. 39.1 secs. to 6 mins. 34.3 secs,-Trans-Occan.

Happy Valley yesterday was post-Farquharson and Miss Craze beat | poned owing to the weather, and will mencing at 2,30 p.m. Entrance fce

armourer-armudillo-politesse. stradivarius - strait waistcontto have been held by the Civil Ser- arithmetic.

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Miss Carden died during Christmas 1936, but probate on her will was held up by technical litigation to settle its

She made no stipulation about the be used, leaving the matter to the throughout the Meeting. governing bodies of the two forces. Carden left altogether

WAR FRIENDS

To her dying day she never forgot two friends she made during the war when she drove a horse mallvan in the City, and beside the legacies to the firemen and mounties she left;

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Miss Carden was 40 years old when she died. Her brother, Sir John Craven Carden, the Army tank designer and aero-engine expert, was killed in a Belgian air liner crash at Tatsfield, Surrey, in 1935.



Frances Farmer scores again la Paramount's thrilling drama, "Ride a Crooked Mile," which is being shown simultaneously at the Queen's and Alhambra Theatres. Also in the cast are Akim Tamiroff and Leif

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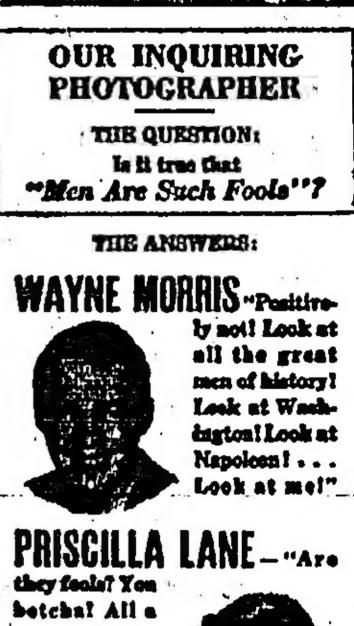
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to Private Box holders only on application to the Secretary, 1st floor, Exchange Building. Any persons found loltering with Servants' passes in their possession ! will forfeit the same and will be removed from the Enclosure. By Order,

C. B. BROWN, Secretary. Hongkong 15th February, 1939.

The final of the danor Golf Cham-pionship of the Royal Hongkonk Golf Club was played off at Fanling yesterday when H. N. Williamson boat J. C. In Pearce at the fortieth holes in the cortieth



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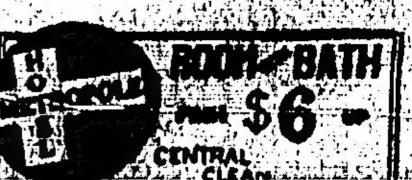


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FROCKS FOR THE



TOU will need to wear your L top coats for some time yet, so the best thing to do is to have a new warm frock. It will make a pleasant change in your ward-

The styles here are selected for those who spend their days in offices, so if you want to be one of the three smart girls shown in the sketch, here are a few tips as to colours and materials.

The girl who is handy with her needle is having a grand time among the fabric bargains just now. Rust, copper and tan are excellent shades to choose. They blend attrac-tively with black, navy, green or brown coats, and give you a fashion-

able combination. . If you do not want an all-wool frock, then I suggest a wool and art, silk marocain.

Spring Fashions

Yoked styles and short sleeves are going to be featured in spring fash-Note that the latter are squared and without an excessive puff. They are perhaps a little cool for present day wear, so above are shown two of the styles with long sleeves. No. 1233 shows a youthful style with a simply cut skirt for the small woman. This would look attractive in kinglisher blue with eigar brown cellar and cuffs, or if you prefer a pastel touch then choose dawn pink. Next comes a useful buttoned style, No. 1234, with a narrowed yoke that will suit the shortish woman, for these lengthening lines are height-making.

A rearf gives a bright fillip to colour and buttons should match.

Slimming Stripes

Maybe you have to watch that hipline, so choose a fabric with a faint chalk stripe. It's alimming! Stripes are neatly worked crossways and down in No. 1235, and buttons trim the front.

A small shoulder yoke gives the right fashion note to your dress.

FASHION NOTES

Velvet chenille is often used for evening gowns. There is also a pale turquoise lame made from thread which lends itself to almost any style of stitch, and there is a copper evening model which is in metal thread. Generally speaking, the favourite trimmings are flowers which the dress-makers are placing everywhere For the evening we see them at the belt, the waist, at the back, on hie shoulders, in garlands as sashes, or in necktaces, on gloves, and in the

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Chalk stripes are slimming. They go two ways on this becoming frock for the fuller figure.

How Young Do You Feel?

WHEN you hear your masculine acquaintances discussing the ageing legs of some boxer or footballer, has it ever occurred to you that the old sporting adage about an athlete being no younger than his legs applies with equal force to every woman-whether she indulges in any kind of sport or not?

If only more women realised this fact and took the trouble to act upon it, there would be fewer prematurely ageing wives in the world, and more happy marriages, too. For legs and feet play so important a role in everyone's life that, neglected, they are often the real source of much of the unhappiness and misunderstanding to be found in so many homes to-day.

Take a typical young modern couple. The wife has probably given up an office job, or come straight from a home in which her domestic duties have been of the lightest charneter. Being young and naturally anxious to look her best, she has always taken care of her feet and legs, and has worn the best shoes sne could afford.

On marriage, this girl finds herself with a little home of her own. She has now no competition to face, and how her feet and ankles look in the privacy of that home does not seem to her to matter. Her job no longer

depends upon her appearance, and

now that she is actually married she

Encroaching Carclessness

drifts into being much less particular about always looking her best. In little things, when working about the house, she tends to let her appearance "slide," and one of the first details which she will almost certainly neglect will be her feet. Yet in doing this housework she is probably upon her feet more than she realises, and is placing additional

strain on her legs. Not only does she use her feet and legs more than she did before her marriage, but, in the natural course of things, she sooner or inter begins to put on weight, probably an avernge of from ten to twenty pounds. That increase is additional weight

which her feet and legs must carry

Most disastrous of all is the all-too common "economy" regarding house shoes. Many women cannot see why in the privacy of their own homes they should not wear out old shoes no longer presentable enough for the street or evening wear.

Such "sloppy" footwear, while it may give the wearer a false sense of comfort, is bound to cause incalculable harm. For shoes which have lost their shape offer no support to the feet, and when they have become overrun at the heels they throw considerable strain upon the muscles of both feet and legs.

Mental Strain

But the damage does not end there. It is an established physiological fact that tension in muscles or strain upon any part of the body produces nerve strain and irritability.

Inough the housewife may smarten herself up for her husband when her day's work is done, and puts on a good pair of shoes in which to greet him, she forgets that she cannot freshen up her brain that has suffered all day on account of the muscular strain on her feet and legs. No amount of time spent before her mirror will avail to perk up her frayed nerves.

In spite of herself, she is irritable; the most trivial misunderstanding is magnified into a heated argument. She mags her puzzled husband, probably without realising that she is doing it, and he, being himself tired after his day's work, is in no mood to make allowances. It is therefore well worth while to

go to the very little trouble which is all that is necessary to keep your feet and legs as young as they really are. A few simple but regular exercises, and the paying of at least as much attention to the shoes a woman wears about her home as to those she wears when dining out will prevent domestic-discord.

For the axiom that an athlete is only as good as his feet and degaalso goes for the housewife, the typist, and every woman.

Grape Fruit And Orange Marmalade

MOST grape-fruit recipes sound IVI very complicated, and involve a good deal of work, but here is a very simple one well worth trying:-

Take two grape-fruits, two oranges, and four lemons. Scrub well, cut in two and squeeze out the juice. Any pulp or pips tie in a piece of muslin.

Put all the skins through a fine mincer, not a shredding machine. Steep all in 18 teacups of water for 24

Then pour into pan and boll for a few minutes. While this is still boil-ing, add 10 lbs sugar.

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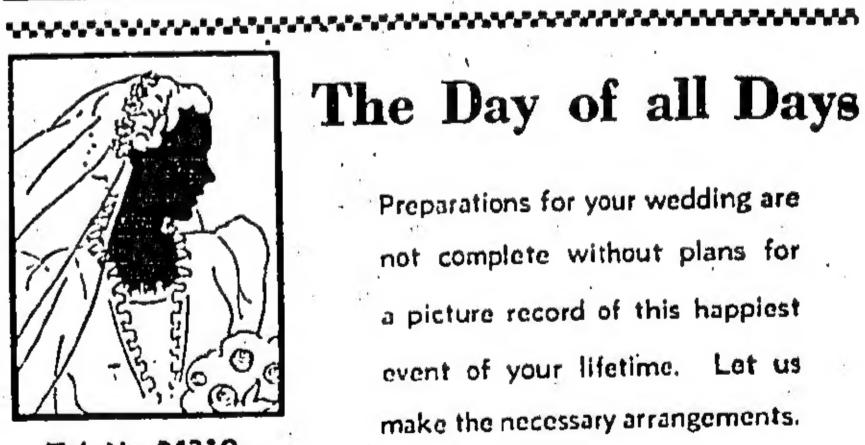
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The railway which the station serves is closing down because of the lack of passengers. Below we show you a typical day in the life of Mr. Weller, the one man station staff."



He issues tickets from the booking-office.



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Collects the passengers' tickets.







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made by young men of science.





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Florence Desmond Gives Warning

THE "Lady who wishes to learn 'impersonations'," and Nairobi in 1925. advertised for a teacher in the "Agony Column" of a recent issue of the Times, would be well advised to devote her attention to the cultivation of another gift.

That, at least, is the opinion of two of the great mimics:
Florence Desmond and Elizabeth Pollock. The former thinks it is a pure gift; the latter that it is "the most heartbreaking job in the world."

After a blank day in the jungle the Duke and Duchess were resting alone before returning to camp when, without warning, a lion sprang towards them from the dense undergrowth only a few yards away.

A light gun with only two shots left in it lay on the ground beside the Duke. He snatched it up and the brought the animal down with a bullet through its head at the first shot.

Miss Desmond, pausing as she smeared blue grease paint shadow beneath her eyes at the Coliseum spun round in her chair.

Monday,

"Mimicry can put the most ap-palling strain on the voice," she said.

"I take very high notes when I do Gracle Fields or Evelyn Laye-I can go up to A-and then I go down very low when . . . Ai do Leslie Henson and made mai voice sound rather as if Ai had Inryngaitls."

The hoarse quaver of the great comedienne with its faint "Oxford accent" filled the dressing-room.

GARBO'S "OH"

"I have been told that mimicry can by taught," she went on, "A man the assailant of a sixty-fourfeld me the other day he thought I old trader attacked in his lock-up descovered how to teach impersona-tions. He said if was 'all in having Twickenham. Middlesex, a musical car."

"He said if one could reproduce boomed like the deep resonant ONG leaving the shopkeeper, Mr. Edward bombing outrage last monday. of the Swedish actress-"and then not the note when Tallulah Bank- was touched. duted away into silence—"then one is now door bad walked out to water dent. head says 'Oh' "- -Miss Desmond could imitate Garbo or Tallulah!" I'm unitating-always," said Miss of Mr. Lloyd's shop could have been De mond. "And that, I think, is a geen by any one standing inside. gitt just like drawing or mathema-

TONE-EXPRESSION

"I certainly don't think mimiery know that anything was wrong until em be taught," said Miss Elizabeth a few minutes later, when Mr. Lloyd Pollock "Although everyone has an staggered out into the street. old nunt they can imitate perfectly, yet to get any range of imhations is [terribly difficult.

"I believe, though, that if you get questions. voice, you will automatically get tax? The third time, as he spoke, he during the 9.30 p.m. Weekly News right expression in the face. right expression in the face.

know. They have three good ones, keeper on the head. seven bad one, and two really atrocious ones out of every dozen! is out the street before the attack, almost as if by inspiration," she went on, "but now I have to work and work before I get it right"

Burma-Yunnan Road

London. THE possibility of the Government L giving any assistance towards

whether the Government of Burma is Jolfers arrived, and ran. of the existing road to the Chinese fronter whence it is continued to giving any assistance to improvement, Yunnan; and, if not, whether, in view ! of the development of this trade route; thoroughfare up to modern standards? Overcome by smoke, Mrs. Hazel this morning the Colonial Secretary Lieut.-Colonel Muirhead: The Williams' Boston bull terrier owes stated that he had nothing to add to Government of Burma have already his life to firemen, who brought him the "Domei" statement. brought the road from Lashio to the back to consciousness by the method Chinese frontler-a distance of about of artificial respiration. The dog was 120 miles-up to an all-weather found unconscious in the Williams' standard, and further work is in pro- basement after firemen had exltinguished a blaze there. gress upon its improvement.

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GORDON'S

King's Car On the radiator cap of the King and Queen's new car, being taken to Canada with them, is a sliver lion. There has been a silver lion mascot on their cars since 1926.

BORDER

REFLECTION in a mirror is Anglo-Japanese Officials believed to have scared away

ACCORDING TO a "Dome!" should be interested to know he had shop in Railway-approach, tions are to commence in Hong-The attacker ran from the shop, affairs in connecting with the

P. Lloyd, dazed on the floor. Nothing Representatives of the Japanese Government will negotiate with At the moment of the attack, Mr. officers of the Hongkong Government,

"Dome!" reports that an official his flowers. He later found that his British communication handed to the "Actually, I feel like the person reflection in a mirror in the doorway Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, Mr. R. Sawada, by the British Ambassador, Sir Robert Cralgie, accepts

Hon seared the attacker, causing him ese Government. Following the informal communicato run way. Mr. Williams did not morning, the British Ambussador

DAVENTRY REFERENCE

Considerable reference to the "Mo. t minies are terribly bad, you mackintesh pocket and hit the shop- wave station at Daventry last night. At the conclusion of the relay, the

Those who saw the man loitering jannouncer at ZBW stated: "I used to get mine immediately, including Mr. Williams' girl assistant, heard the relay of the Weekly News agree that he was handsome, aged Letter from Daventry, we would ask twenty-two to twenty-seven, about Kowloon' does not convey the same ix foot tall, with dark, well-greased worder to be to convey the same does to us here."

The announcement was made on instructions from the Postmaster-General, Mr. E. I Wynne-Jones, who

"To residents at Home, the word 'Kowloon' denotes the whole of the Kowleon Peninsula up to the border. Carson Conaway of Medford says "Residents in and near Hongkong Yunnan Road was referred to in a question in the House of Commons recently—

Carson Conaway of Mediord says | "Residents in and near Hongkong be couldn't do it again. Playing on listening to the Weekly News Letter in the House of Commons and Alva course, Conaway hit a golf from Daventry last night might have an Alva course, Conaway hit a golf from Daventry last night might have ball and the ball hit a rabbit. Dazed, thought it was a continuation of the time animal was convulsed a few daily news and might have gathered times, got to its feet before the the impression that a very recent times, got to its feet before the burnal burnished tolerance. itself. Therefore, I decided to broadeast the statement to correct all'

Approached by the "Telegraph"

After a blank day in the jungle the Duke and Duchess were resting alone

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To Visit Scene

message from Tokyo, negotiakong shortly for the payment of indemnities and other technical

The police believe that this reflec- the settlement offered by the Japan-

tion, which was made on Saturday called on the Vice Minister and handed a written Note to the Mr. Lloyd said that the man came Japanese Government.

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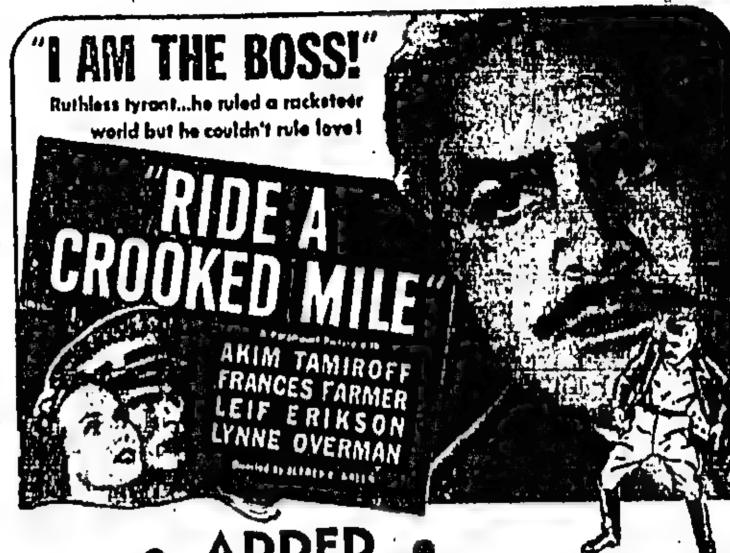
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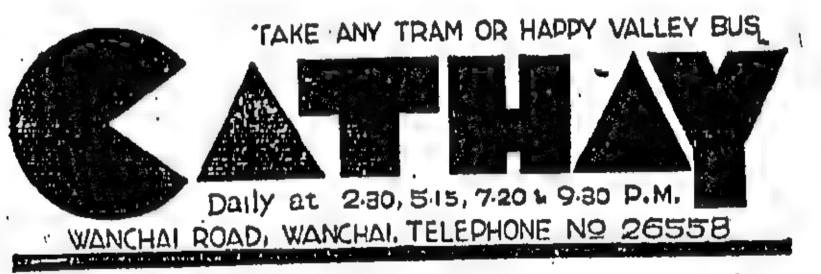
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AGREE

LONDON, Feb. 26.

has decided to reject the

British plan for the paci-

The proposals which the

British Government will submit

to the Palestine conference to-

morrow are understood to have

been considered at a prolonged

meeting of the Arab delegates

The main feature of the proposals,

It is understood, will be the sugges-tion of a round table conference to be

held in the autumn on the lines of the round table conferences which pre-

ceded the new constitutions in India

and Egypt, and invitations to the conference will be issued by the

King on behalf of the Government, not only to political representatives of Palestine and Britain, but also to

It is suggested that the British

representation also include members

of the opposition parties, in order to place the future Palestine policy

above party politics.
It is believed that British Govern-

ment has expressed the desire to see

self-government established in Pelestine, although it has clearly

indicated that it does not favour im-

Subjects for discussion at the conference would doubtless include not

only those on which agreement has been found impossible during the present talks, but also on the ques-

tion of a treaty with Britain pro-

viding safeguards for British interests

in Palestine, and for the various

Meanwhile, it is understood that it s proposed to extend the advisory

and executive councils to include

unofficial members, both Jew and

Arab, nominated by the High Com-

missioner. Unofficial members of

LATEST

the executive council, whose title "

constitutional experts.

mediate establishment,

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fication of Palestine.

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the Jewish Agency

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A section of the large crowd at the races on Saturday.

of Tokyo Imperial University.

he entered the diplomatic service:

and became an Attache at

Washington in 1910. He was

third secretary to the Japanese Embassy in London in 1918, and a l

member of the suite to the delega-

tion to the Peace Conference at Paris

London Embassy, and attended the

Geneva in 1920.

Washington.

He became second secretary at the

The following year he was ap-

He was Minister to the Netherlanda

Japanese Lose

1,000 Planes

Regarding the Tokyo report that

It is officially claimed that 1,000

Results

The following numbers were

RACE 1

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Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 2023.

RACE 3

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No. 1402

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Japanese planes have been destroyed

Chungking, Feb. 26.

for some time, and then, in 1934,

was appointed Ambassador

Obituary

NOTED JAPANESE STATESMAN DIES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. THE DEATH has occurred of Mr. Hirosi Saito, former Japanes Ambassador to the United States, at the age of 52 .--Reuter.

Mr. Saito was Japanese Ambassador to Washington from 1934 until last year. He had a distinguished career.

BORDER BOMBING

Anglo-Japanese Officials To Visit Scene

ACCORDING TO a "Dome!" message from Tokyo, negotia- first League of Nations Assembly at tions are to commence in Hongkong shortly for the payment of pointed Consul at Seattle, and in indemnities and other technical 1923 he became Consul-General in affairs in connecting with the New York. bombing outrage last monday.

Representatives of the Japanese director of the Information Bureau Government will negotiate with in the Foreign Office in 1929. officers of the Hongkong Government, and will visit the scene of the inci-

"Domei" reports that an official British communication handed to the Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, Mr. R. Sawada, by the British Ambassador, Sir Robert Craigie, accepts the settlement offered by the Japanese Government.

Following the informal communication, which was made on Saturday Japan is rushing to build new aeromorning, the British Ambassador planes, aviation experts here concalled on the Vice Minister and sider that this is due to the urgent

handed a written Note to the need for more acroplanes. Japanese Government.

DAVENTRY REFERENCE Considerable reference to the shot down in dog-fights, 179 destroyed border bombing incident was made on the ground, and 83 shot down by during the 0.30 p.m. Weekly News Chinese anti-alreraft guns, letter broadcast by the Empire Short- It is stated that the Japanese are wave station at Daventry last night. anxious to build more planes in order

At the conclusion of the relay, the Siberta. United Press. announcer at ZBW stated: "To those of our listeners who heard the relay of the Weekly News Letter from Daventry, we would ask them to remember that the word 'Kowloon' does not convey the same meaning to listeners in England as it

does to us here."

The announcement was made on instructions from the Postmaster-General, Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones, who drawn at Happy Valley to-day: said this morning:

"To residents at Home, the word 'Kowloon' denotes the whole of the Kowloon Peninsula up to the border. "Residents in and near Hongkong listening to the Weekly News Letter from Dayentry last night might have 2072, 2042, 2150, 1467, 1169, 545, 1309, 1439, thought it was a continuation of the 531, 1058, 2963, 130. dally news and might have gathered the impression that a very recent bombing had taken place in Kowloon itself. Therefore, I decided to broadenst the statement to correct all local misapprehension."

NOTHING TO ADD

. Approached by the "Telegraph" this morning the Colonial Secretary stated that he had nothing to add to the "Domei" statement.

Australia Repeals Health Legislation TO PAY FOR WAR!

SYDNEY, Feb. 26.
ACCORDING TO th "Sydney Morning Herald," the Federal Cabinet has decided to repeal the National Insurance Act owing to the high cost of Australia's defence programme.

The Act came into force medical benefits under a contributory scheme which it was estimated, would cost the Covernment nearly £2,000,-000 in the first four years. -Reuter:

DRINK AND TOBACCO **TABOO**

In 1930 he was Councillor at the London Embassy, having served as Luxuries, Say Nazis for promotion. The event wa

BERLIN, Feb. 26. GERMANY'S YOUNG to few yards from the finishing post. PEOPLE are expected to "go dry", although there is no question of prohibition being introduced to the country, according to a "Trans-Ocean

report. the purpose of fighting immoderate first prize of approximately \$230,000. use of alcohol and tobacco, and in It is revealed that only 600,000 of prohibition in Germany, a state- about 30,000 in hand.

Islace the war started, including 221 reichmarks on alcohol and tobacco. morning and at 10.30 a.m. there were The consumption of these two more police than spectators. By year, and is accompanied by a were beginning to grow. caused by misuse of the two luxuries. pected pick-pockets on Saturday. to meet possible serial attacks from Such a course of development must be checked, says the statement,

> the establishment of prohibition in tion Griffins of this Meeting. About Germany. The principles indvocated against the misuse of alcohol and tobacco leaves the healthy adult free to live Mrs. B. Hail's MAGOG is in. moderately or abstemiously.

unless, in an irresponsible manner,

There is no question of any

public health is to be jeopardised.

frain from the use of alcohol and tobacco. At the forthcoming Reich congress, Unplaced ponicy (\$50 each): Non. 1050, it is intended to inaugurate popular discussion on these problems with the object of putting a stop in due; course to any increase in the consumption of these injurious luxuries.

Youth, however, is expected to re-

NORMA SHEARER IMPROVING

-Trans-Ocean.

Hollywood, Feb. 26. Norma Shearer, who is ill, is reported to be much improved to-day. Unplaced ponles (\$50 each): Nos. 2477, and she had a better night.—Reuter, (Continued on Page 12.).

Pih To Ride Derby Favourite

R. ERIC MOLLER announced at the Valley this morning that H. C. Pih will ride Navylight, hot favourite with Mr. Eu Tong sen's Rose Elect as the two ponies most likely to catch the judge's eye in the Derby.

The big race will be run at 4 p.m. -Either Navylight | or Rose Elect are chosen to

C. Encarnacao, who rode three winners on Saturday. will ride Rose Elect.

Mr. Eric Moller, owner of Navylight, likes his pony's chance: "I think it will win," he said this morning.

Mr. Eu Tong-sen, the Singapore millionaire owner of Rose Elect. would not comment on his pony's

"I don't know enough about racing," he confessed. Mr. Eu's stable had three wins on Graduating at the Law College, last summer and provided for Saturday, Rose Elect and Desert Pih was up on Navylight when it

easily won the Trial Plate. While both morning newspapers tip Navylight to win, the "Telegraph" and "China Mail" racing experts believe that Rose Elect will eatch the judge's eye.

JOCKEY INJURED

Shortly after the start of the Mongolian Stakes, the first race today, G. W. Sewell was badly thrown by Geordie, his own pony. He sustained such severe injuries that his removal to hospital in an ambulance was necessitated. Mr. Sewell was in the novice jockey class and needed only one more win

The event was won by Marksman, who made a remarkable sprint from the corner to nose out Guinness Time

DERBY SWEEP SALES

It was announced at 11 o'clock that the sale of tickets in the Derby Sweepstake will close at 2.30 p.m. At 10.30 a.m. the serial number was 554,949 and it is anticipated that by 2.30 p.m. about 570,000 tickets will A campaign is now in progress for have been sold. This will ensure a

reply to queries whether this cam- tickets were printed for this sweep, paign is aimed at the establishment so that total sales will leave only ment has been issued by the Reich | Large squads of police and plain-Public Health Board pointing out that clothes detectives were among the in 1938, Germany spent seven milliard Arst to arrive at the Valley

commodities increases from year to eleven o'clock, however, the crowds corresponding increase of damage Four persons were arrested as sus-

MONGOLIAN STAKES (IST RACE)

Winner \$1,000; Second \$400; Third obligation for total abstinence, or of \$250. For China Ponies. Subscrip-Half Mile 170 yards. Anharty's MARKSMAN 158 lb.

H. Leigh's QUINNESS TIME 158 lb. .. (V. V. Needa) Won by length and half; two lengths, Time:-1.09.4. Pari-mutuol:-Winner \$6.60 Places

\$36.90; \$9.80. PERTH PLATE (2ND RACE)

First : Section. Winner \$1,000; Second \$400; Third \$250. For Australian Ponies, Griffins of this Meeting. One Mile.

Cire's CANDLELIGHT 182 lb.
(J. Pole-Hunt)
Chau Bros, TRIUMPHANT DAY 188 lb. Dynasty's RING'S HERALD 102 lb. ..
(V. V. Needs) Won by many lengths; three lengths. Time:-1.30.1.

Pari-Mutuelt—Winners \$94.70 Places \$19.00; \$3.50; \$15.10. Mrs. Ed Tong-sen's Chiltern, which was Her temperature was down to 100, fancied for this event, proved frisky at

RODE THREE WINNERS

27,



C. ENCARNACAO, who rode three winners at the opening day of the Annual Race meeting at Happy Valley.—Staff Photographer,

Shanghai Tension

DECLARATION OF WAR

Japanese Circle Settlement With "Live" Barbed-Wire

TOKYO, Feb. 26. "WE CANNOT but announce a silent declaration of war

against the Shanghai International Settlement, and British and French vessels which are nothing but an extension of the Settlement in assisting the Chiang Kai-shek regime with the Yangtse as a base," declares a statement issued by the Japanese-sponsored Nanking Government, according to the "Domei News Agency."

JAPANESE TERRIFIC AIR LOSS

OHUNGKING, Feb. 27. REVEALING THE TREMEN- regime." DOUS strain on the Japanese Air Force, a spokesman of the in Shanghai are apparently dissatis-Chinese Air Force in an inter- fled with what they describe as the lukewarm measures of the Municipal view with the Central News Council, and the Council's reply to disclosed that since the begin- the Jupanese requests .- Reuter. ning of the war, the total number of Japanese planes shot down, destroyed, severely damaged, or otherwise lost reached the few days have been hurriedly high figure of 1,010 up to the erecting barricades and installing live end of last year.

monthly loss of more than 50 planes which communication is now allowthroughout the eighteen months since ed, could be closed at a moment's the start of hostilities in July, 1937, notice.—Reuter. With the opening of the current year, the Japanese air force has further suffered the loss of 24 planes, including fifteen heavy bombers of the latest type recently bought from Europe, bringing the grand total to

more than 1,030 machines. aggerated estimate, the spokesman demands on the Shanghai Municipal pointed out. As a matter of fact, the Council, according to a Shanghai renumber tallies with that announced port quoting well-informed circles. by the Japanese Air Force head- Details in this connection, howquarters on January 20 last them- ever, cannot be ascertained. selves, which stated that 710 military It. is learned that the American and naval planes were lost and 300 Consul-General, Mr. Clarence E. more were damaged and rendered Gauss and other officials in the conunfit for service during the period.

man revealed that of the total of Japanese hostilities in 1932 and 1987, ference, and that an Independent (Continued on Page: 4.).

The statement announces that the Nanking Government has detailed troops and militiamen round the Settlement as a "precautionary measure against further outbreaks of terroristic demonstrations."

It adds: "We won't hesitate to lians to evacuate Chungking, Chengtu brand British and French vessels and and Kweiyang.-United Press. the International Settlement as an enemy if Britain and France don't reconsider a change in the attitude of assisting the Chiang Kai-shek

Meanwhile, the Japanese authorities

SETTLEMENT BESIEGED Tientsin, Feb. 26.

Japanese troops during the past electric wires round the British and French Concessions here. This figure, he said, represents a Exits from the Concessions, through

AMERICAN ATTITUDE FIRM IN SHANGHAI

Chungking, Feb. 27. The American consular authorities in Shonghal are maintaining a firm Nor was the above figure an ex-intitude in regard to the Japanese

sulate have been working overtime Analysing this figure, the spokes- the conditions during the Sine Arab demand at the Palestine con--Central Neins.

Evacuation Order

The Government had ordered civi-

Chungking, Feb. 26.

See Back Page For Further Late News

may be altered to the Council of Ministers, may be Ministers without

portfolio. Enquirles in conference circles suggest the immediate formation of. an independent State in Palestine. and possibly suggest the immediate formation of a round table conference from delegates already has London to discuss particularly safegunrds for British interests and the

communities in Palesting -- Reuter. PREMATURE REJOICING

Jerusalem, Feb. 26. As a result of rumours that the tact with Washington, reminiscent of British Government and accepted the

ONLY ONE KILT AT SCOTTISH SHOW

THE only kilt at the private view recently of the Scottish Art Exhibition, at the Royal Academy, was in a frame.

The laird had for the occasion changed into morning coat, layender grey waistcoat, and a pair of spats, said "How d'you do?" and did the social round on the edge of the gilt frames as the English do once a year.

The only Glengarry present was a satin one with a bunch of ospreya in ! There was a time-two hundred

years ago-when the chieftain was so proud of his tartan he even wrapped his feet in it. The full Highland dress, in a glass

case, had light-fitting trousers with tartan socks and soles all in one, There is a picture, painted in 1665, of the first kill, rather like a shrunken petticoat, and a picture of the origin-Roslin, coptain of the Honourable Company of Edinburgh Golfers, driving off on the links with a thistle

breeches, a red hunting coat, bows protrait painters. key stick. His golf ball is numbered for identification purposes.

RUBY GARLANDS

There is the whole history of Scottish dress in the exhibition from the early days when kilts were garlanded of still-life, especially flowers and with tubics round the waist and the fruit. blade of the dirk was sharp, to the decadent '80's when the tarton was a dressing-gown and the chieftain wore a white cloth like an icebag round his bead.

Nearly all the portraits are of men--- they seem to have postessed all the beauty and vanity of the period. settled, 138-year-old mortgage on 120 worked by Mary Queen of Scots that Miserleordia here which calls for an a bigger crowd; an evening gown that wheat. College officials are seeking Prince Charles once danced with; and to trace the heirs of the mortgagor a still-life of grouse and fruit.

Compensation

lows:---

Government?

trade interests.

Shameen?

shipping.

accept such a general statement.

Mr. Butler: The Japanese allege

that they are conducting military

· by the movements of third-party!

Prime Minister whether he has re-

ceived any statement from the

Japanese Government on the ques-

tion of the reopening of the Yangisze

the Yangtsze basin to foreign ship-

operations which would be impeded.

Commander Marsden asked the

Firms in China

CONSIDERABLE number of questions dealing with:

Woman Wins Art Prize

For the first time in history the Archibald Prize, recognised as the guerdon of Australian art, has been won by a woman. She is Miss Nora al golfer. It is William St. Clair, of Heysen, daughter of Hans Heysen, one of Australia's greatest landscape

The Archibald Prize is worth about £450, In winning it, Miss Heysen black velvet knee defeated some of Australia's leading

of ribbon above his calf, and his The portrait she submitted was of club looked like a long-handled hoe- Madame Elink Schuurmann, wife of the Consul-General for the Nether-

> Mes Heysen, who recently returned from London, was not formerly well-known as a portrait painter, but was regarded as an eminent exponent

Mortgage Runs 138 Years

Dallas, Pa. Attorneys have discovered an un-There is a piece of embroidery acres now occupied by the College of to obtain clear title to the land,

A.R.P. TRENCHES

St. Moritz, famed summer and winter resort of the Swiss Alps,

brings many noted persons together from throughout the world.

A recent visitor there was Dr. Milan Stoyadinovitch, Premier of

Yugo-Slavia, shown as he surveyed the winter activities.

THERE was 5ft. 6ins. of muddy water in A.R.P. is no better than the rest but drew annual pyament of 90 bushels of trenches on Primrose Hill, N.W., recently forty days after the Home Office circular to local authorities asking them to make trenches permanent by steel and concrete reconstruction.

Brilish Gracie's No' To time. The trenches were expected to overflow. The A.R.P. department of St. 4 Shows A Day

Los Angeles, Calif." the Far East were asked in the House of Commons | Gracie Fields, who let have asked by recently. The question of claims for compensation received from Twntieth Century Films to appear on British firms in China was raised by Sir Charles Cayzer, as fol- the New York stage for one week.

And Gracle was willing-on con-Bir Charles Cayzer a ked the Prime | Minister whether, in view of the re- dition: .

shows daily," she said "but if New

"I'm afraid if I came here for good, 'Hollywood might make me half and

He Guarded

Inspector Edmund Dear retired He was formerly personal detective the Duke was to broadcast to the

Inspector Dear served twenty-six to Windsor Castle in 1934.

Paneras Borough Council, who are responsible for the trenches, said:--"We are at present experimenting with other trenches in Regent's 1. Park. One section there is being concreted. When we have ascertained the cost of concreting and roofing this specimen section, we shall go into the question of costs for the whole trench system, with morning.

the Home Office." was to enable local authorities which night before." adopted it to go ahead with the work without further reference to the a scholarship. Home Office

WATCHMAN GUARDS.

A watchman stood beside them.

mud and water. Hampstead Borough Council' council are considering the question in the light of the Home Office re-

Half-finished trenches in St James's Park, near the Admiralty, are railed off from the public walks. Notice boards read: "It is dangerous | Williams to go near these trenches."

The depth of water in them is about 2ft. Westminster City Council are uncertain about their future. They say: "Some are to ! be filled in, some are not." The council, like other authorities, are counting the cost of making trenches permanent. They are afraid of exceeding Home Office

The Home Office circular issued on November 25 Informed local authorities that they could count on obtaining a twelve-year loan sanction for expenditure involved, including that on preliminary work, and claim A.R.P. grants at the appropriate rate on the annual

A.R.P. expenditure, including that on trenches, is borne up to 60 per cent, by the Government and up to 40 per cent, by the local nuthority

The twelve-year loan sanction was believed to have been adopted to deal with semi-permanent work.

RADIOLYMPIA THIS YEAR

There will be a Radiolympia, after The scheme for a £50,000 cooperative advertising campaign to replace it was turned down by a

Officials of the Radio Manufacthat cost Martindale his life," said one furers' Association explained that the the of his mates. "By an extraordinary industry was committed to the hire of coincidence the sand started to flow Olympia, so that unless the exhibition

Concrete Mixers

Celevland, O. All owners of concrete mixes and l

Modern Toys "Too Perfect"

Your children probably play with mechanically-perfect toys, realistic dolls, and teddy-bears. But are they as happy and carefree as you were with less elaborate things to amuse

Miss Ethel Strudwick, headmistress of St. Paul's Girls' School, who describes herself as "a thoroughly old-fashloned woman" thinks not.

Speaking at the Public Health Conference in London recently, she said:

"When I think of an old carpenter's bench in the corner of my father's studio on which was perched a doll's house consisting of a wooden box on end, I wonder whether this newfound passion for giving children baby dolls exactly like the real thing, or teddybears all glorious with plush, is really making them happier than did the old make-believe toys which left so much to the imagination,"

THIS REALISTIC AGE

Miss L. H. Crocker, of the Pioneer Health Centre, Peckham, commenting to the News Chronicle on this statement admitted its truth, but added:

"Miss Strudwick's statement is no argument against a realistic doll. When she was a child she probably had some lovely toys herself, but she remembers only those most familiar to her and those she used for her own imaginative purposes.

"We live in an age of skill, so the child of this age must have technically perfect toys or be separated from the reality of his environment. Miss Strudwick, asked to reply to

"I had not lovely toys, and did not miss them. It is a great pity that the children of to-day do not live in a simpler age, for their own sakes, poor

"I notice that children who are simply brought up to know the real pleasures of fresh air and the open | F1320. country are much happier than those elaborate mechanical toys."

Girl Dances Till 2 a.m. To Pass Exams.

Stanley, Co. Durham. Few people can hope to win one open scholarship at Oxford or Cambridge, but Joan Chariton, 18-yearsold daughter of a Stanley colliery clerk, has just won two-one at each University.

And on the eye of both examinations she danced until two in the "Swotting before examinations

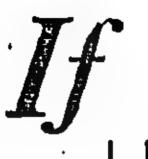
That is typical of the attitude of dangerous," she said. "When I was local nuthorities all over the country, younger I used to get very nervous, The object of the Home Office plan, but now I always go and donce the

It was Joan's first attempt to win

Turns Into

Cookstown, Australia. Bitten on the foot by a snake, Willlam Howard reached down for a His job was to stop children falling stick with which to kill it, but the in-because if they had fallen in "stick" turned out to be another they might have drowned in the make, which bit him on the arm. Prompt medical attention saved Howard.





as I was told this nasty cold!

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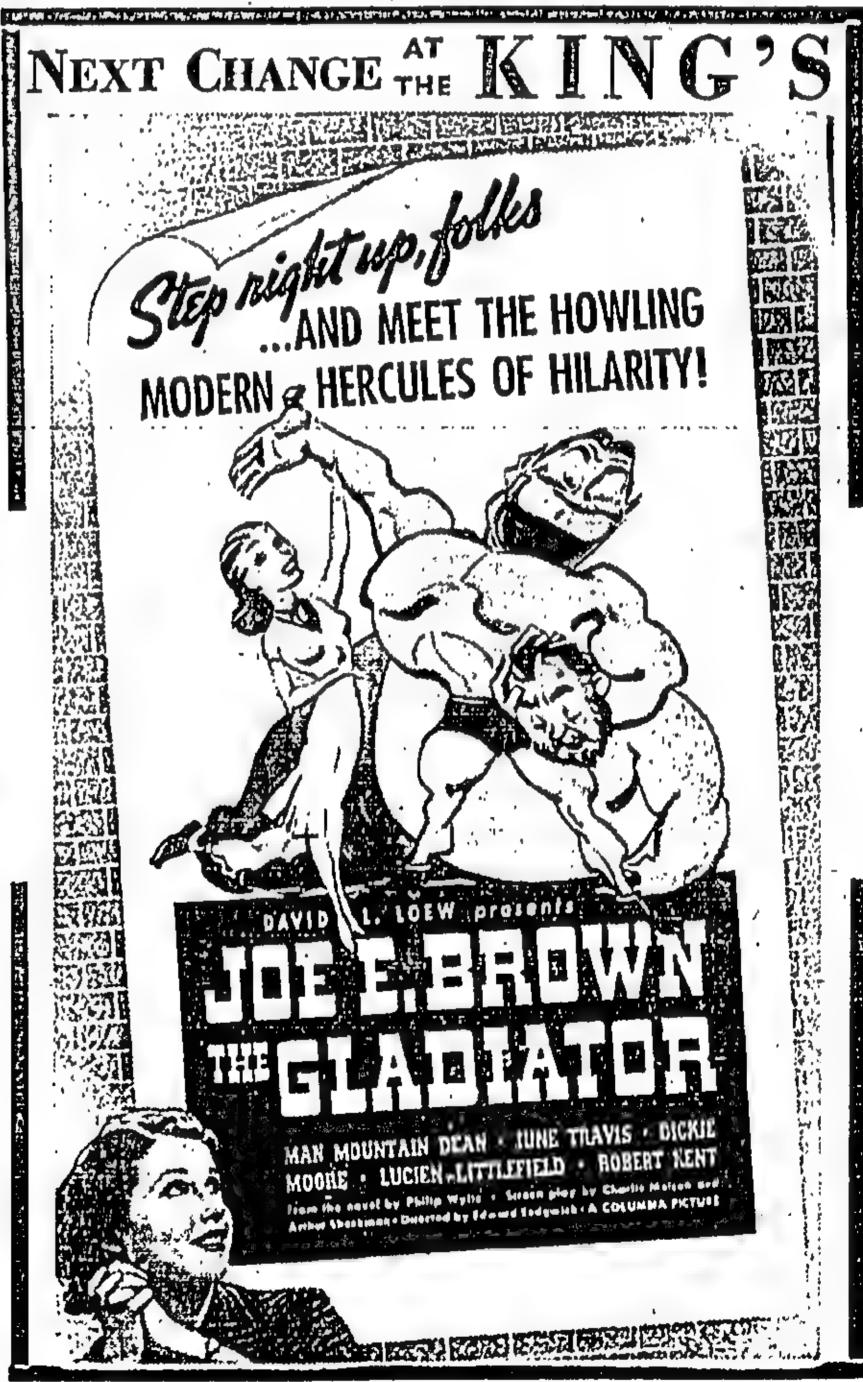
What Have You Got That Gets Mc. F.T. who live in nurseries crowded with F1321. Two Sleepy People, ("Thanks For The Memory".) F.T. Sixty Seconds Got Together. F.T.

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Hongkong Telegraph WM. FARMER &

Victoria Hotel Building. Shameen, Canton,

Tel. 13501.

Majesty's Ambassador in Tokyo on He was Richard Martindale, aged 14th January last, Commander Marsden: In view of row. the fact that the Japanese are trad- He was in charge of mixing ing on the river and are advertising materials for the night shift work. for passengers and goods for transport, will my right hon. Friend see In the factory vast quantities of though he was going down in quick- loss.

that our ships have the same very fine sand and other materials privileges? the evidence submitted by His neck of the funnel checks the flow.

Majesty's Ambassador. Mr. Alexander: Are we to under- charge frees it with a long pole; somestand that the Government acquiesce times, however, if he thinks he can different varieties, which took refuge in the holding up of British shipping; make it flow more easily he jumps on on the Spaulding wildfowl refuge tar spreaders here now must take out

Mr. Butler: No, Sir. Mr. A. Henderson asked the Prime sand, the sand freed itself and started 30 such birds be sent him if possible, \$300.

Maister the number and the extent solution adopted by the League of claims for compensation received Council, on 20th January, inviting from British firms in China in rest the members of the League to York audiences want to see what I pest of destruction of their property examine the proposals of the Chinese by Japanes, military action?

Government for certain measures of bay of tricks and two shows a day Mr. Butler: Nearly 300 claims for economic ansistance, H.s. Majesty's will be enough." amounts totalling over, £230,000, on Government propose to make any necount of destruction, confication, (caponse to the request of the Gracie added that Mr. Daryl damage or locting, have so far been Charse Government for as-stance? | Zanuck wanted her to stay in Holly- | But local authorities are debating been presented to the Japane e Mr. Butler; Certain proposals of make her next two films in England, ches cave in.

Sir C. Cappage Control of the Chinese Government for econo-

Mr. Butter: My hon. Friend will CHINA AND JAPAN

ports in China?

be aware that claims of this kind are usually settled at the end of hostili-i Mr. R. Morgan asked the Prime half and use the wrong halves," "ha Sir Henry Morris-Jones: Can my with reference to the refusal of the "Maybe later they'll get to know right hon. Friend give the approxi- Japanese authorities to allow goods me better; in fact they're beginning mate total cost of the damage sus- to be exported from Tsingtno when to now. Mr . Butler:-- | cannot do more through foreign bankers by means useless to do splits and cartwheele

River as the natural means of ap- being closely watched, proach to the British concession at

Sir C. Cayzer: Can my right hon, mic assistance are under considerational hold out any hope of an early tion, but I am not able to make a settlement of these claims?

One Camere Government for econoThen, if her contract was conThen, if her cont

Minister what action he has taken said. the exports have been financed; "A few weeks back I felt it was

Mr. Butter: Their receipt has Mr. Butter: There have been been acknowledged by the Japanese cases in recent months in which the Japanese authorities at Tsingtao! Mr. Thorne: 4s it not true that have refused to permit exports, the Japanese have made a declara- either on the ground mentioned by Mr. Butler: I should not like to sul-General at Tsingtao has made frequent representations in the mat-There were also a number of ter to his Japanese colleague, who interference with legitimate British justification for the action taken.

Prime Minister under what rule of Tokyo. ernment are taking action to prevent recently been extended to Weihaiwei

than give the amount of the claims. of Chinese national currency; and for American applause. But now, if quest. It is a bit early to say yet Mr. A. V. Alexander: What reply whether such refusal has been ex- they'll let me do my job in my own what will be done about the trenhas been received from the Japanese tended to any other and, if so, what way, I'll get 'em to like me as well ches," las English folks do." tion that they will not pay commy hon. Friend or without assign-heasatlon for damaged property? Ing any reason. His Maje-ty's Con-

questions dealing with Japanese has pleaded military necessity as the recently from his post as Metropolitan Interference with leadth and the leading with leadth at Window Coeffe police chief at Windsor Castle. The matter has also been taken up to the Duke of Windsor and was one A.R.P. grants. Commander Marsden asked the by His Majesty's Ambassador at of the few who knew beforehand that international law the Japanese Gov- The system of export permits has notion after his abdication.

British vessels from using the Pearl and Chefoo, where the situation is years in the force and was appointed Sucked Under By Tons

Of Sand In A Mixer WITH a doctor standing by, a gang of men worked River, and the inland waterways of desperately at Greenford, Middlesex, recently, to rescue a fellow-workman who was buried in 18 tons of sand in Mr. Butter: No statement has a mixer.

been received from the Japanese Government on this subject subse-

was communicated to the Japanese! When, after an hour's work, the Minister, for Foreign Affairs by His man was reached, he was dead.

32, of Wellington-road, Roxeth, Har-"NOT A CHANCE"

are poured into the mixers through a Mr. Butler: That is the reason for gigantle funnel, sometimes the narrow Imports Usually when this occurs the man in

The drama was at the works to flow. As Murtindale landed the quent to their note of 14th November, 1938. Further evidence of Ltd.

In armin was at the works to now. As Martindale landed the sand sucked him down and he was buried in it.

CHECKING FLOW Men rushed from all parts of the meeting of radio manufacturers building and started to dig frantically, yesterday. "It was only the smallest chance as Martindale jumped. It was as were held it would mean a financial sand. He dld not stand a chance."

Willows, Cal.

Thirty wild geese, of half a dozen

Taxed

and are they going to do nothing the sand in the mouth of the hopper, after being wounded by hunters, automobile licenses, it was announmore about 117

That is what Martindale did but a have been shipped to Peter Scott, and by Chief Police Prosecutor Gerald second before his feet touched the British omithologist, who asked that Pillod. The licenses cost \$200 and

MYSTERY OF BRITISH FILM STUDIOS EMPIRE

WHILE three new British films are packing cinemas only 10 per cent, active. Why is this?

Biggest success of the year, seems to be "The Citadel," Woman's Record As which was seen by 130,000 people at the Empire, Leicester- Ground Engineer square, W., in one week.

'PYGMALION' RECORD

months.

"Sixty Glorious Years," generally Airlines of Australia. released recently, is taking on the released recently, is taking on the average 35 per cent, more than average 35 per cent, more than "Victoria the Great." It has been has always been intensely interested booked solid for four and five weeks in neroplanes, trained for her certisphase bakers have had to pass on the flour floats with the de Hariland Company. by many hulls.

"Pygmalion" has broken box-office in Stag, Lane, records at Hastings, Brighton, Coventry, Chesterfield and Luton. The largest hall in Sydney, N.S.W., has booked it for a three months

Yet to-day only eight films are be-

30 in 1936.

This paradoxical prosperity is 13. striking. The answer is simply one of Anamer.

CITY IS SHY

The "Era," official mouthpiece of fence Legion, of which Mrs. E. F. cinema showmen, declares bluntly: Finlay is in charge, and in which "The City's confidence has been sadly Mrs. Bell has shown her interest by | The Legislative Council recently shaken. Nevertheless, it is adopting consenting to take charge of the decided to take a census of the island the attitude of a man who, having transport section. been caught by a share-pusher, re- Although the section is yet in its 1931 a request for a census was refuscs to deal with the Stock Ex- infancy, plans are being formulated, jected by the Council on the ground change. Having bought gold bricks, for training and drill, and Mrs. Bell of economy. it will not admit the existence of Lopes to provide her volunteers with MAURITIUS

1939 will probably see a change in the backing of British films. Instead of financing productions costing £100,000 on the doubtful gamble of the United States market, pictures costing from £25,000 to £40,000 will be encouraged. At least 40 films of; this grade are already planned by lies. Mr. Michael Balcon at Ealing, Mr. Watter Mycroft at Elstree, and Mr. Edward Black at the Gainsborough studies.

BABIES IN COLD STORAGE!

save the lives of five babics who day of his honeymoon. collapsed during a heat wave at Grimth, N.S.W.

placed in the Griffith Producers' cool could be hiding. stores, where a moderate temperature! was specially maintained.

BEERA

Their parents sat beside the bables from New York. during a week-end.

woman in Queensland to hold the ernment's imposition of an Excise This audience would keep a West certificate of a ground engineer, be- tax on flour to finance the subsidy End play going for more than five longs to Mrs. G. R. Bell, who recently to wheat growers. There is to be a arrived in Brisbane with her husband, local consumption price of 4s, 8d, a who is Queensland Traffle Manager of bushel.

fleate with the de Haviland Company tax to the bread consumer by in-

"It didn't seem to me particularly elever," said Mrs. Bell, when talking of her award, "My number was 444, which shows that 443 other people had obtained certificates before me."

A GREAT HELP

With her qualifications, Mrs. Bell JAMAICA aviation section of the Women's De-

facilities for driving heavy vehicles, convoy driving, and driving as a

Women of any age from 17--50 are acceptable as volunicers, if they can drive a car, a motor boat, or a motor

Indian Bride Runs Away

sweetheart, an exotle Indian under- is still available. On the advice of doctors they were graduette, Bonnie Bee Berryhill, -----

NEWS

AUSTRALIA

FLOUR EXCISE TAX OPPOSED

SYDNEY. A strong agitation has developed MILE honour of being the only in Socialist circles against the Gov-

When Squadron-Leader Bell was amounts to about one-third of the creasing the price by 1s. a 21b. loaf. Labour admits that the wheatgrower must be helped, but contends that this should be done out of

general taxation revenue. Physical Education Chief .-- Mr. Gordon Young, until recently Dirce-Born in Tasmania, Mrs. Bell has tor of Physical Education at the ing made on the 80 British studio spent a lot of time abroad, and next Y.M.C.A in London, has arrived to floors, as against the peak figure of to aeroplanes, riding is her chief become the first Director of Physical hobby. She has one daughter, nged Education to the New South Wales

should be of great help to the CENSUS TO BE TAKEN NEXT YEAR

next year at a cost of £25,000. In

LAND SETTLEMENT FOR UNEMPLOYED

Port Louis. anything about mechanics, or would new land settlement plan in the accept positions as cleaners or order- Mollands dictrict to solve the since then daylight, or onything accept positions as cleaners or order- Midlands district to relieve unemployment in the sugar cane plantations in the northern and western parts of the island. The drought this year has caused heavy destruction of cane.

The unemployed began a march on the capital, asking for a dole or work, but were stopped, by the

The co-operation between the new Recently, Arthur Othiltree, Scot- Labour Department and planters is tish-born New York opera star, bearing fruit. The Government is Unusual measures were taken to should have been spending the first daily transporting men in special trains from the workless districts to Instead, he is wondering where his the less affected areas where work

> tree; "I can't go through with the While he was making final plans marriage. I have run away." for the mirriage, his flancee fled Mr. Ochiltree sald: "She is an Mr. Smart built an Italian garden calculated to evoke mirth rather than adorable, spoiled brat and a head-A telegram to friends told Ochil- strong kid, but I still love her."



High enthusiasm greeted French Premier Edouard Daladier as he arrived in Bizerta, Tunisia, to inspect France's March line of tortifications between French North Africa and Italian Libya. Here he is welcomed by Tunisian children.

For 80 Years He

COMBE HAY (near Bath, Somerset). A FTER living in terror of daylight for eighty years, Mr. George Edward Smart, Lord of the Manor of Combe Hay, was carried by villagers to Combe Hay church just after dusk recently to lie in his cossin before the altar in the darkness

When he was nine years old, he eyes were injured while he was at white, caused agony to his cy. a.

he loved.

Life was unbearable unless he turned day into night, night into day, He died at the age of eighty-nine.

One of the staff of the Monor House of Combe Hay 'fold me to-

room closely shuttered against the daylight. As soon as it was dark he Paul de Lesseps, a con of Ferdinand would get up. He generally listened to the radio until midnight,

"Then he would have his lunch and go out for a drive in his car before rearring for his tea. Just before dawn he would go back to Maillefaud declared: "This film,

and a grotto of shells which were imagination, sent from all over the world. The lake, the grotto and the gar- sully the memory of Eugenie de

den he saw only by moonlight. One Montile and Ferdinand de Lesseps in of his greatest interests was agricul- the mind of the audience. There is, ture, but he could visit agricultural therefore, no reason for preventing shows only at night, long after they the exhibition of the film. had closed for the day.

tents and other exhibits with a

His servants had to read to him with them for his generosity. Years manor, he was immensely popular night.

To Be Banned

A Paris Court recently rejected two applications for a ban on the film "Suez" pending legal action. The "Mr. Smart slept all day with his round the building of the Suez Canal. The application was made by M. de Lesseps, the builder of the canal and the Marquesa de Casa Fuerte, a grandnephew of Empress Eugenie, who is represented in the film by Loretta Young.

Giving the court's decision, Judge which has no claim to literary, artistic In the beautiful gardens of Combe or historic merits, contains blunders Hay Manor, where there is a lake, and improbable or ingenious incidents

"It contains no bassage likely to

He used to go round the cattle portunely recalls that the creation of the and other exhibits with a sucz Canal was a French work."

anything printed on white paper, ago, in his young days, he made the Though the villagers of Combe Hay manor famous for its parties and hardly ever saw their lord of the rocial gatherings . . . always at

"Private Room On Wheels For Basil And Betty"

CANBERRA,

A profound change in the relation of the sexes had been brought about by the intention of the automobile, said Professor G. V. Portus, of Adelaide University, to the history section of the Science Congress. Basil could now meet Betty in a private room on wheels, and nobody could say may, he added.

NEW complaints of "anobbery" by private lives of royalty, he described members of Hastings Downs Golf as "snob history." Club towards artisan members were "When the former Kalser, now made at Hastings Town Council cutting trees at Doorn, was saying 20 meeting recently.

the proposal to grant £100 a year to no modern king but an Elector of the club. The proposal was earried Hanover of 400 years ago," said Proby 24 votes to 11.

which was written by an artisan tion section of the Department of the "The other day some of our chaps were playing when four so-called Interior, Mr. C. S. Daley, said he regentlemen cut in. Just as an artisan gretted the absence of an historical

through you.' "ONLY ARTISANS" "The artisan said: 'We are sorry, but you have cut in, and so lose your right to the course. The gentlemen refused, saying 'You are only artisan members; you are not of the same Australia?--say," and in purposeful

standing as us." "As for the matches they (the full members) claim to have played with for showing the public what snobs us, we have had one since the club, 99 per cent. of the golf club are." has been formed. We don't approach them for a game because of Rule 10, of the snobs referred to in that letter which states that no artisan member which Councillor Riddle, by means is permitted to play with a member best known to himself, has had sent of the parent club except by invita- to himself. I protest on behalf of 200 tion of the latter.

am sure are with me, I thank you at the club."

Snob Insult' Professor Portus also said: "If you ask a boy to-day who kissed Hardy, he probably will answer Laurel." After strongly criticising the old method of teaching history, To Golf Club with its emphasis on the doings of royalty and on wars, he said things were better now.

The old form of history, about the

years ago that he was God's vice-The Council was again considering regent on earth, you heard speaking fessor Portus,

Councillor Riddle, who made the council's charges of snobbery at the council's dominated history to a considerable last meeting, quoted from the letter, extent, The head of the civic administra-

was taking his shot one of the gentle-men said: 'We are allowed to play with other divisions of the world. With a knowledge of Australian history and its storled enterprise, and substituting Australia for Englarid, Browning's question could be repeated: "Here and here did Australia help me: How can I help

action find the satisfactory answer.

members at his insult which Coun-"On behalf of the artisans, whom cilior Riddle has so foolishly flung



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Japanese Lodge Second Protest

Shanghai, Feb. 27. It was understood that the Municipal Council's reply to the first Japanese protest which was handed to Consul-General Miura by Chairman C. S. Franklin of the Council on Saturday failing to satisfy them, day. the Japanese military, naval and consular authorities, following another emergency conference aboard the flagship Idzumo on Sunday, have decided to lodge a second protest with the Municipal Council.

It is pointed out that the Japanese authorities were still maintaining the attitude of co-operation with the Municipal Council in principle. In the event, however, the latter definitely fails to show "good faith" in dealing with the present situation. they are prepared to proceed with "effective and adequate" measures by taking an "independent and

positive" attitude." Sunday's emergency conference abourd the Idzumo, flagship of the Japanese Fleet in China Waters, was attended by Vice-Admiral Koshiro Olkawa, Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese Fleet in China Waters, Mr. Yoshiaki Miura, Japanese Counsul-General, and other military, naval and consular officials .- Domei.

LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the TWENTIETH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of this Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company No. 10, Des Vocux Road 1939, at 3.00 p.m. for the purpose of

The Register, of Shares of the ordered to pay \$5 compensation. Company will be closed from Saturday, 4th March, 1939 to Saturday, place after three men had alighted 1th March, 1939 (both days inclu- from the taxi at the entrance to Mt. sive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, KAN TONG PO, Chief Manager. Hongkong, 17th February, 1939.

On Way

Calro to sign the marriage contract | soldier had any doubts he could have for his alliance with the Egyptian Princess Fawkla, arrived here to-day.

the deputy Prime Minister. At the Baghdad railway station, and to make up the difference bethe Prince was welcomed by Prince tween \$1, which one man subsequent-Zeld, representing the King, and was ly tendered, and \$2.20. accompanied by members of the Iraqi Cabinet.

In the evening, King Ghazi gave a banquet in the royal palace in honour

of the guest. Signature of the marriage will be made on March 16, and the Crown Prince and Princess will go to Teberan where the festivities will be held from April 21 to April 24.-Trans-

CHINESE PAINTINGS St. John's Cathedral Hall Exhibition Opened

nese painters was opened at St. John's | State. Cathedral Hall on Saturday, Works Kim-um, Wong Ting-ping, Au Siuylm, Cheung Sun-cho, Cheung Siusek, Che Hei and Chiu Shiu-ngong. Joint pictures by Mr. Wong and Mr. Leung, and Mr. Wong and Mr. Woo were included; the two artists have combined in several attractive studies of birds and animals in na-

tural settings. Mr. Woo's individual pictures stood out by reason of his characteristic lofty perspectives and neat detail. Mr. Au showed special aptitude in his studies of fish, delicately seen

through the water. The most striking exhibits, however, were by Mr. Cheung Slu-sek, who had given his imagination rein in two allegorical subjects and had also produced some excellent full length pictures of old time Chinese country people.

The exhibition closes at 7 p.m. to-

STOCK MARKET REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange Tractions (Pref.) s/-24/- n. official summary issued at 12.00 noon, February 25, says: Cald: Macg. (ord.), Sh. \$....14 n. There was more interest shown in tion. Cald: Macg. (Pro.), Sh. \$....18 n. the market during the short session

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Y'S MEN'S CLUB To Meet World Touring Ambassador

Members of the local Y's Men's Club will meet Mr. Paul Stermer, Post President of the Honolulu Y's Men's Club, at a special meeting in Palestine, several hundreds of young the China Bullding at 7.30 p.m. to- Arabs entered Halfa to-day to hold

Mr. Stermer is serving us Am- their joy. bassador for the International Y's Men's Clubs and is visiting all -the Clubs in the course of a world tour. Dr. Li Shi-pui asks members make their reservations with Dr. F. I. Tseung, Tel. No. 24196.

U.S. DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENT Ocean.

Berlin, Feb. 26. Political circles welcome the appointment of Mr. Raymond Geist. first secretary at the American Embassy, to the post of Charge d'Affaires, replacing the late Mr. Prentiss

who has been in Berlin for eight Rangoon to Kunming on March 20, D. J. N. Anderson, E. C. Fincher, years, enjoys the best personal rela- while passenger and mail planes or R. E. Lee, S. V. Gittens, R. T. Broadilons with German official circles, and the Bino-American China National bridge, K. M. Baxter, N. A. E. Mac will be screened at the Queen's and it is assumed that he will work for Aviation Corporation will fly directly kay, T. A. Madar, B. D. Lay, G. E. Alhambra Theatres as follows: "The a German-American agreement,— from Chungking to Rangoon,—United Taylor, and G. A. Goodban. Re- Grost Waltz" commencing on March

Cowardly Attack On Taxi-Driver

Soldiers Fined

A cowardly attack by two soldlers Central, on Saturday, the 11th March, | on a taxi-driver had a sequel in Central Court this morning when receiving the Report of the Directors Gunner John Buller and Gunner together with a Statement of James Buxter, both 21 years of age Accounts for the year ended 31st | were fined \$10 each for assaulting Leung Wah, In addition, Buller was The assault on the driver took

> fare, amounting to \$2.20. Buller, in evidence, said: "I was very drunk at the time and don't remember what happened."

Baxter, said "I didn't strike the man. I ejected him from military property as part of my duty." An officer told the Court that the Prince gate man had orders not to allow panied by military personnel. .

frontier by Prince Abdul Hab, and revealed that he has lost two days' pay as a result of the assault. He

MEXICO 43 Killed In La Palma Fighting

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 26. FORTY-THREE are reported to have been killed in a clash between Federal troops and An exhibition of art by eight Chi- ders at La Palma in the Sinalon afternoon.

The death roll comprised three were shown by Leung Yik-yu, Woo Federal officers, ten soldiers, and thirty marauders, the remaining bandits dispersing in the neighbouring mountains.

An unconfirmed report says that General Menchaca, chief of the Federal troops in charge of the opera-

tions was also killed. The movement is stated to be isolated, and was in no way organised.

-Reuter.

Appeal To Insurgent Government

Marseilles, Feb. 26. M. Flandin, speaking at a banucqt of the Alliance Democratique to-day

"Let us hope that in the field of foreign policy, recognition of the Spanish Insurgent Government will end the Spanish civil war, and mark the beginning of an era of European appeasement, of which the commercial negotiations between London and Berlin are the first manifesta-

"Let us also hope that the Government, which again has found it has a new and faithful majority, will go forward on the road of action."-United Press.

JAPANESE TERRIFIC AIR LOSS

(Continued from Page 1.)

1,010 machines lost to the Japanese, 221 were shot down by the Chinese air force in midair, 179 were destroyed by the Chinese air force on the Ukrainlan propaganda,-Reuter, ground, 83 were shot down by Chinese anti-aircraft guns during raids, 107 were destroyed by Chinese land troops, 110 were destroyed by Chinese artillery, 19 were forced down behind Chinese lines, 27 were damaged, forced down and reported still missing, and 363 were lost in mishaps and accidents.

The spokesman said that the number of accidents estimated, namely 363, is an under-, rather than an over-estimation .- Central News.

PALESTINE PLAN: JEW DELEGATION

(Continued from Page 1.)

Arab State would be set up in public demonstrations to express Dancing and singing, they marched

through the town shouting "Palestine for the Arabs! Long Live Haj Amin!" (Haj Amin is the Muiti). Almost at the same time, a British steamer arrived at Jaffa bringing a large number of British police to reinforce those of the mandated authorities in Palestine. -- Trans-

British Planes For Kunming

Kunming, Feb. 26. It is emphasized that Mr. Geist, Airways planes will begin flying from to-morrow, starting at 2 p.m.

Downing Street

PARIS, Feb. 26. WILL Empire the blood built with and labour of French-Davis forts and refused to pay their men. We will maintain our sovereignty and territory intact."

These words were spoken by M. Georges Bonnet in nurse in Kuling, is prepared to nurse a speech at Gourdon to-day, ed by the threatened air raids. To Bride any person into the forts unless he held a military pass or was accompanied by military personnel. when he explained that recognition of the Franco "In this case, I think Baxter ex- Government was necessary The Crown Prince of Iran, eceded his duty. The inxi-driver because France wanted Kuling for over 30 years is 76. The Crown Prince of Iran, cceded his could have neighbourly relations with The Rev. Wesley Lawton and the Mohamed Resa, now on his way to was entitled to his fare and if the neighbourly relations with The Rev. Wesley Lawton and the telephoned and ascertained his duty." Spain. She wished to re- Rev. Hugh White and their wives The Prince was met at the Iraq any of his passengers were drunk, establish commercial relating the Americans are using the tions with her, and did not American school as a concentration wish to have a new frontier to defend.

M. Bonnet said that at the same time as Franco-German United Press. relations were improving, Anglo-French relations were becoming increasingly close, and the recent speeches of Viscount Halifax and Mr. Chamberlain showed the whole world the complete solidarity of Britain and France.—Router,

LONDON DEMONSTRATION

London, Feb. 26. The British decision to recognise General Franco, which is expected to a be announced to-morrow, had a band of 100 well-armed marau- | boisterous sequel at Whitehall this

the Government's action held in Japanese conflict was that which Trafalgar Square, was addressed by army planes dropped on Kuling Mr. Clement Attlee, Mr. Herbert Morrison and Miss Ellen Wilkinson, and interrupted by protagonists of the Popular Front.

A resolution was passed viewing the Government's policy "with shame and abhorrence." The crowd desired to march to

Downing Street, but Mr. Attlee and Mr. Morrison and other leaders took the resolution to No. 10 Downing Street by taxi. The Labour crowd followed on

foot, shouting slogans. Upon arrival they found the entrance to Downing Street guarded by mounted police,

There was nothing more serious than one small skirmish between the police and a group of demonstrators waving Spanish flags,-Reuter.

ITALY SEEKS SUPPORT FROM POLAND

Warsaw, Feb. 26. Count Ciano had a conversation with Colonel Beck this afternoon. Reports that Count Clano pressed for a definition of the Polish attitude towards Italian claims against France lend special interest to Colonel Beck's speech last night, which interpreted as a hint that Poland has no intention of giving tacit support to a policy, which might injure the interests of her French ally.

Colonel Beck would doubtless like to obtain a clear statement of Signor Mussolini's attitude towards the extension of Germany's commercial and political influence in south-east Europe, since Poland was disappointed by the failure of the Italo-German arbitration to award Ruthenia to Hungary, which would have created a Polish-Hungarian frontier.

Polish circles regard the present frontier as a potential source of trouble, and the centre of anti-Polish

Warships Mass At Gibraltar

Gibraltar, Feb. 26. Over 100 British warships will be in the harbour with the scheduled arrival here to-day of the Moditerranean Fleet, together with 12 admirals, including Sir Dudley Pound, later. Commander-in-Chief of the Mediterranean Fleet in the battleship Warspite, and Sir Charles Forbes Commander-in-Chief of the Home Fleet in the battleship Nelson .-United Press.

Chinese Victory In Honan

Chungking, Feb. 26. the last three months, when they killed approximately 1,000 Japanese and routed the remainder of a large force at Changyingchi,-United Press.

K.C.C. XI To Play Volunteers

The following team will represent the K.C.C., against the Volunteers pulsions is given,-United Press, It is reliably stated that Imperial in a cricket match at the K.C.C. serve:-F. A. Brondbridge.

Why Kuling Foreigners Are Staying Loyalty To Duty

Hankow, Feb. 20. Loyalty to duty and to the Chinese dependent on them is responsible for the continued presence in Kuling of some of the little band of Americans still at the mountain resort, according cepted for Canton and despatched as to the former fellow residents, who recently arrived here.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter Libby re-fused to consider abandoning their tubercular home which they conduct. South Amer Miss Rachel Nostrom prefers risking her life to abandoning the group of Chinese girl students she took there from Nanking before the latter city fell.

Miss Nancy Fry, the only foreign Chinese civilians who may be wound-

Among other Americans in Kuling are some too old or infirm to undertake the arduous journey to Kiukinng. Mr. Henry Baker, a resident at

point where they intend to gather during the threatened raids. It is a four-storey building of reinforced concrete, which could only be damaged by a direct hit.-

AUDACIOUS LEAFLET

Copy Of Kuling Warning In H.K.

PROBABLY THE most astonishing and audacious leafiet yet distributed by the Japanese A demonstration of protest against military forces during the Sinoon January 19, three days after the Japanese had bombed the mountain with high explosives. The document, printed English, was remarkable, both for its grammatical construction. and its "terms".

In it, the Japanese alleged that the army and navy authorities, in conjunction with third Powers, had agreed that henceforth foreigners in Kuling had forefelted their nationality; that they were regarded as sympathisers of the Chiang Kai-shek regune, and therefore would have to take the consequences of a Japanese offensive against Kuling.

The leastet, however, tells its own story more effectively, the following being a copy recently received in Hongkong from a Kuling resident: "TO ALL FOREIGNERS

REMAINING AT LUSHAN"

"Despite the warning during the campaign for the attack of Lushan that the army has requested you often to come down the mountain in anticipation of your being endangered, you failed to listen to our sincere warning remaining there, and rather dared to show the attitude of supporting the enemy zide.

"It has been decided at the conference between the army and navy and the third Power authorities on December 6, 1938, at Kiukiang that you be regarded to have separated from your respective nationality and have united yourselves with the Chiang Kai-shek regime. The army, will before long, launch a complete offensive operation against the remnants around the Lushan area.

"IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED"

"That the army assumes no responsibility hereafter for a serious danger which might be inflicted on you in connection will this operation.

"January 16, 1939. On behalf of the Imperial Japanese Army. Although the leastet was duted January 16, it was not showered upon the Kuling residents until three days

Instead, on the 16th, the Japanese raided the mountain resort and dropped many bombs, causing a considerable amount of damage to foreign property.

Swiss Correspondent Expelled By Italy

Rome, Feb. 26. The Italian Government Chinese reports from Loyang state ordered the expulsion from Italy of the Paris "Le Temps," Robert Hodel, correspondent of the Zurich "Neuezurcher Zeitung," who has lived in Italy for 29 years, and Luigi Pedrazzini, Rome correspondent of the Mittel Press Agency at Berne. The three men were summoned to the police station this morning and Informed they must leave the country by midnight on March 15. No official explanation for the ex-

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OFFICE.

RACE HOLIDAYS The Money Order Office will be open to the Public from 10 a.m. to

Noon, during the Races, on February 27 and 28, and March 1, 1939. MAIL FOR CANTON Registered and ordinary mails (not Insured or Parcels) will be ac-

circumstances permit. VIA SIBERIA ROUTE

MAIL LETTERS

Ordinary letter mail only for West Kwangtung, Kwangsi, Szechwan, Kwelchow and Hunan will be accepted at senders' risk.

OUTWARD MAIL TIMES

Registered and Parcel Mails are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise

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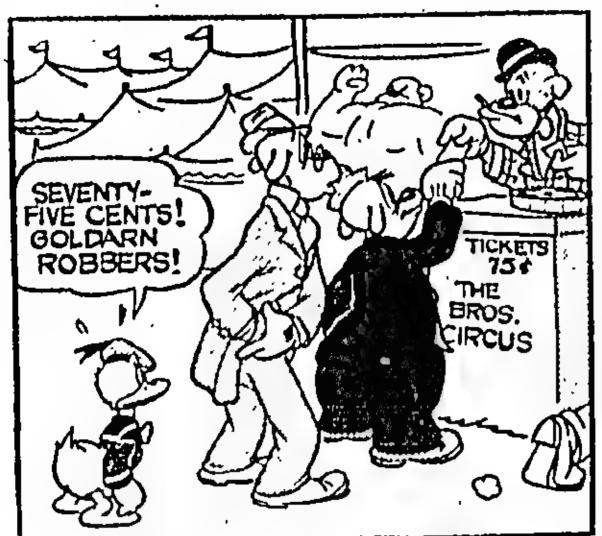
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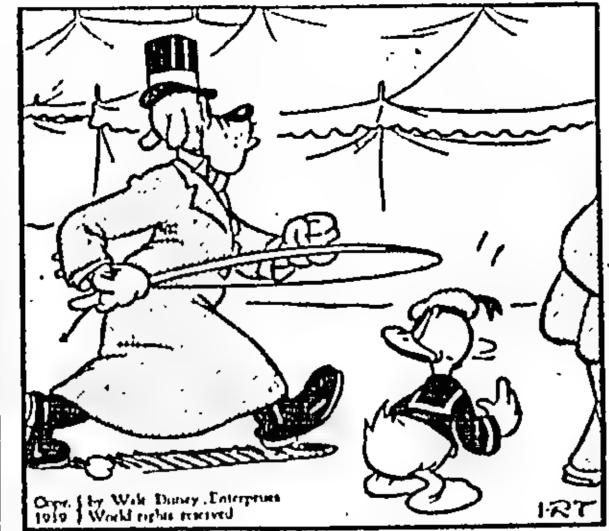
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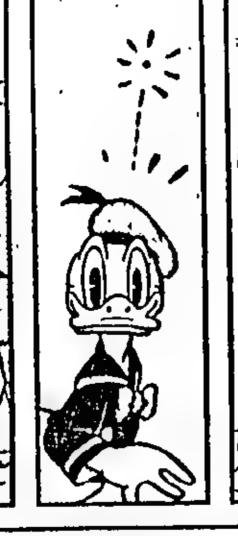
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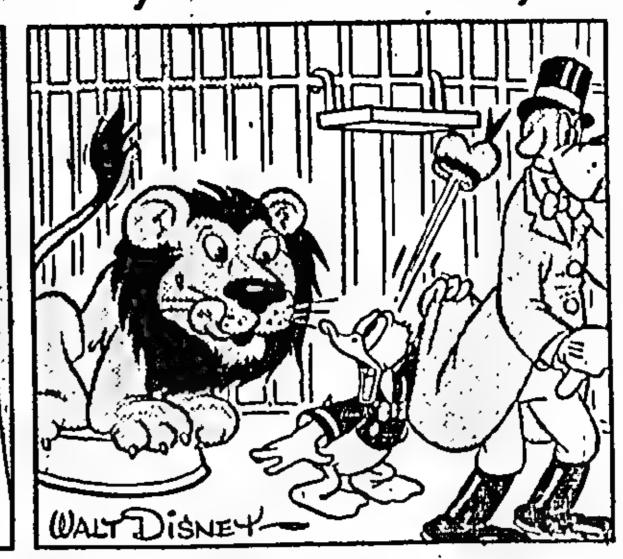
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WEDDING

Mr. V. Benwell And Miss K. Winch

Two popular hockey players were united at St. Andrew's Church on Saturday afternoon, when Miss Kathleen Winch became the bride of Mr. Vincent M. Benwell.

of the Civil Establishments, Naval guests of the Board of Tourist In- at a college in the Philippines, During Yard, and Mrs. Winch, of 180a dustry. Nathan Road, is a member of the younger social sci, and has made a name for herself in the annual on their way home by the Kamo Europe, Asia, Oceania and Central &c. Entries are limited to Kowloon Pantonimes of the Y.M.C.A.

by her father, and chose for her wedding dress, a creation of white French figured toffeta, with a veil of net and embroidered satin. The dress was made by Messrs, Lane Crawford Ltd. She earried a bouquet of white roses.

. The Misses Brenda Rowell and Joyce Shirley acted as bridesmaids they carried novel pink camelia with the disbelieved in such leaching, but acted as head of the on Monday, February 11, 1889.

The bridegroom, who is a Santary Inspector, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Y.M.C.A. Hockey Club and H.K. Hockey Club, being the goal-keeper for the hockey teams.

duties of best man.

Andrew's, officiated and Mr. Rupert Baldwin was at the organ.

The Rev. J. R. Higgs, Vicar of St.

Club, King's Park.

a smart ensemble in mustard and her first turn in the long round of official "observer" and in that role to over the Solent and located in submarbrown, with accessories to match.

honeymoon, which is being spent at sories to match.

Hines Found Guilty

Released On Huge Bail **Pending Sentence**

New York, Feb. 25. The former Tammany Hall leader, James J. Hines, was to-day found guilty on all counts of bribery and operating lotteries, at the close of his re-trial. He is liable to maximum sentence of 27 years' imprisonment.-Reuter.

Released on Bail

be released on bail of \$20,000.

Mr. Lloyd Paul Stryker, defence counsel, stated that an appeal will be lodged immediately. Shouts of "Hurray for Jimmy" greeted Hines as he was leaving the court.

first and second trials.

concerned charges of felony, each carrying a maximum penalty of two numbered 2,000. years' imprisonment. They related the property of the war the teachers transmit any important messages a three transmit any important messages are the transmit and the transmit any important messages are the transmit and the transmit and the transmit are transmit and transmit and transmit are transmit and transmit are transmit and transmit are transmit and transmit are transmit are transmit and transmit are trans tion by Hines in the drawing of "policy games" run by the late gangster, Dutch Schultz, and members of his gang who operated a \$20,000,000 Only in one cose did they hear an
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members of Hines' family listened invading China." intently for 90 minutes, Judge Nott told the Jury that it would be their duly to decide two questions, namely, was an unlawful combination of "policy banks" formed and did it receive the protective and political influence of Hines through the police by the Ministering League and Mini- report his sabotage.—Reuter. courts and other judicial officers? | tering Children's League was held on

Counsel added that Hines was con- the Cheero Club, Hongkorg, and the NORMA SHEARER ILL victed out of the mouths of his Peninsula Rotel, Kowloon. friends. Without him leaders like him of organised crime could not !.

exist for five minutes. as just and fair and in accord with causes. the facts.

murdered in 1935,-Reuter.

JAPANESE WOMEN. WANT VOTE

Australian Teachers Told Of Struggle

of Mr. S. S. Winch, chargeman teachers who were in Japan as the courses at Columbia University and

The Australian teachers, who pass- as a special aide in the Philippines. Maru, heard with particular interest America. He then secured a post at growers. the story of the struggle which Columbia University and also found-She was given away in marriage Japanese women are making for ed and became first director of a

> regards the vote very much as a the rank of major. matter of course; in fact, as rather a

teachers next year."

Highlights of Tour

honeymoon, which is being spent at Repulse Bay, she wore a charming the performance of the ceremonial ticipated as official representative of model in turquoise blue with neces- Bugaku, or musical play, played out- the United States. He was a fellow side the Court for the special bene- of the Royal Geographical Society. fit of the Australian visitors. At the conclusion of the function a great choir sang, very beautifully, the "Kimigayo," or Japanese National Anthem, and followed it with "God Save The King." -

> Misses Hanger and Ryan were the stars in the other radio event, when they broadcast on short wave to Prentiss B. Gilbert .- Trans-Ocean. Australia. "We will bring back to Australia with us the memory of a most charming people and a beauti- Russia ful country," said Miss Ryan. have been deeply impressed with the watched. Everything is done to make them familiar with homecraft. " We have found the greatest goodwill and friendship towards us at every

Miss Hanger had the satisfaction of Sentence will be passed on March learning that every word was heard 13, pending which James Hines will by her people in Gympie Queens-

Cheered By Children

rst and second trials.
Twelve counts of the indictment Apparies. One colleged a partition of the long hours and the monotony.... Addis Ababa. America. One gathering of children any longer and became physically - and on a Sunday afternoon, too-- ill.

M.C.L. FLAG DAY

Was Hines a party to the conspiracy? Saturday, depots being established at

On Friday night Mrs. T. H. King broadcast an appeal to the Public to

American Diplomat In Berlin Dies

Berlin, Feb. 24. Mr. Prentiss B. Gilbert, the United States Charge d'Affaires, died sud-denly to-day from a heart attack.—

The woman's point of view on United States "observer" at Geneva, "cabbages and kings" was well aired; was born at Rochester, N.Y., in 1883, at a recent round-table chat in Tokyo the son of an officer. He studied at when a party of educated Japanese various universities and after FIME BRIDE who is he daughter women entertained five Australian graduating at Yale took further

> ed through Hongkong on Saturday From 1911 to 1916 he travelled in decorations and one for cut flowers, Jack Hylton and His Orchestra. suffrage. In the vehemence of their "School of Extension Teaching" following:claim the Japanese women exhibited which was affiliated to the Rochester much of the spirit of the British University. When the United States entered the World War, he was employed as chief of the combat section They were consequently surprised in the military intelligence branch of to learn that the Australian woman, the American General Staff, reaching

political and economic section of the political and economic section o H. M. Stay, E. M. Luke, I. C. Ryan, Corps with the rank of lieut, colonel. kong united in a marked and spontane- in the Air') Jack Hylton and His and A. M. Pittman-reported that After graduating from the U.S. Army our manner with the officers and crew Orchestra with Vocal Refrain. land. He is a member of the they had been lavishly, almost ex- War College he was appointed in of the flagship Marien in extending haustingly, entertained and that their 1924 an assistant in the section of the military honours to the distinguished tour had been thoroughly delightful. State Dept. at Washington which dead. "We seem to have been a success," deals with Western Europe and soon Miss Pluman commented, "for they became its chief., In that capacity he Mr. Robert A. Bates undertook the are talking of inviting 10 Australian was sent to Geneva as unofficial cussions and decisions of the League of Nations. As the American Government stands outside the League, it In a tour that was a crowded series felt the need for a permanent repreof experiences the highlights were, sentative at Geneva who would keep The reception was held at the perhaps, both associated with the in close touch with what was going China Light and Power Recreation radio. One of these was the ocea- on, Mr. Gilbert was therefore in 1930 sion of a gathering of 3,000 teachers appointed American Consul there. The bride's mother was present in in Tokyo at which Miss Stay, taking though his main task was to act as the Admiralty, piloted an aeroplane speech-making, delivered an address attend all the deliberations of the ine which was managuring under the When Mrs. Benwell left for the that was broadcast throughout Japan, League. In its negotiations regard- water near the Admiralty launch Ening the Sino-Japanese dispute re- chantress.

GERMAN SYMPATHY

Washington, Feb. 25.

well-equipped schools, where the children's progress is so carefully Trial Of Radio Rowloon. Operator

Moscow, Feb. 26. Five hundred Polar fliers, workers. and journalists sat in the crowded hospital for Europeans. Hongkong has court room to hear the opening of the trial of Mikhail Vosnissensky, chief wireless operator at Tikhaya Bay in the Arctic regions, who is accused of malicious counter-revolu-The most eventful criminal trial a friendly and often waving flags met dolor from the work wave to the flags met dolor from the famed Soviet with a crew of five, perished while the flags and often waving flags met dolor from the famed Soviet with a crew of five, perished while the flags and often waving flags met dolor from the famed Soviet with a crew of five, perished while the flags are the flags and often waving flags met dolor from the famed Soviet with a crew of five, perished while the flags are the flags and often waving flags met dolor from the famed Soviet with a crew of five, perished while the flags are the flags

He admitted that he was so fired

A successful Flag Day, organised supervise Vosnissensky's work and in worrying Czecho-Slovakia.

Hollywood, Feb. 26. night,-Reuter.

A Look Through The "Telegraph"

50 YEARS ACO

Feb. 27, 1889. The liver is said to be the organ most speedily disordered by malarial Radio Programme Broadcast by

A flower-show will be held at Kowloon on March 14th. The premoters are going the right way to make the affair the Spanish-American war he served admission will be free, drinks gratis, dral. and timn for nothing. Two silver cups will probably be offered, one for table

ASIATIC STATION

Year 1889 U.S.S. Omaha Chinkinng, China,

February 14th, 1889.

Mourning will be worn by officers of the aquadron for a period of thirty All orders issued by the late Commander-in-Chief will continue in force until further instructions.

FREDERICK V. MCNAIR Captain U.S. Navy, and Senior Officer Present on Asiatle Station.

25 YEARS AGO Mr. Winston Churchill, First Lord of

of Commons, Mr. Churchill announced that it had been decided to substitute this year a test mobilisation of the

eniled on the Secretary of State Mr. ter of War, speaking in the Skupstinn, Edgar, Cicely Courtneidge, Paul Frimi); Smilin' Through (Penn).... Cordell Hull, to-day to express on intimated that the Servian losses in the Robeson and Jack Jackson and His with Orchestral accompaniment. behalf of the Reich Government con- Turkish War were 5,000 dead and 18,000 Orchestra; Studio-Scrial Story; 10.0 London Relay-In Town Todoleng upon the sudden death of Mr. wounded, while in the Serbo-Bulgarian Noah's Ark (Zoological Tunes for night). of wounds and sickness.

more striking reature in the then the Peep; A Frog He Would a-Woolng the 'Man in the Street'); Edited and

not yet been commenced, the founda- (Mozart); Sweet and Low (Barnby) -Never Break A Promise....The tions have been laid and the long stretstructed, while the new ferry and rail- Orchestra and Chorus. way pier is now almost finished. One thing which Kowloon locks is a tions. on abundance of these institutions, but Kowloon none, and the growth of the white population will in course of time

question. 10 YEARS AGO

in recent years came to an end with them at schools and at railway stop—dramatic suddenness shortly after the ping places; the flags were normally Jury had returned to the court for Australian and Japanese, but there.

It is alleged against Vosnissensky service been held out, but the long-lost street in itself. Not only have very real, if hardly definable, prospects of the establishment of a vehicular ferry arrive been held out, but the long-lost street in itself. Not only have very real, if hardly definable, prospects of the establishment of a vehicular ferry arrive been held out, but the long-lost street in itself. Not only have very real, if hardly definable, prospects of the establishment of a vehicular ferry large prospects of the court for Australian and Japanese, but there the establishment of a vehicular ferry Jury had returned to the court for Australian and Japanese, but there that he hampered the search by de- vision of a trunk telephone line between was one amusing slip-up when the laying messages and shutting off his Hongkong and Canton has been savived. Negus Tafari of Abyssinia, rapidly deliberating for five hours. Mrs. children turned out flourishing only thines was not in court when the American and Japanese flags. This, The accused, giving evidence, which he is going to utilise his recently verdict was announced, although the however, could be understood as pleaded in barely audible tones: "I required powers, has decided to estabattended every session both at the there is a regular interchange of wasn't able to stand the conditions- lish an international wireless station at

5 YEARS AGO

He continued his sabotage activities. Judice of her relations with France, but In a brief speech, Sir Robert re- tion were on sale, ranging from In his summing up to which all the we are here. That is why we are dismissal he suppressed the order, will not commit herself to the pre-The Public Prosecutor revealed that Dr. Benes, the Foreign Minister, minded those present of the hardship household necessities to electrical that Vosnissensky's chief, Grigoricy, feels that a Non-Aggression Pact with millions of Chinese have undergone, products and toys. in charge of the colony's 27 persons, bryonic Italo-Austro-Hungarian Allivelihood. Since the Fund was inline are side-shows attracted the bryonic in the side-shows attracted of the people" for having failed to between the Little Entente and which stituted some months ago, mote, and various amusing and original games and the control of the people" for having failed to between the Little Entente and which stituted some months ago, mote, and various amusing and original games are the control of the people of t

TRAFFIC CENSUS

London, Feb. 25. A three days detailed census of The film star Norma Shearer is traffic on the London underground is Sir Robert thanked the Hon. Mr. The grounds were brilliantly flood-Judge Nott complimented the Jury support the Flag Day, the proceeds of suffering from a throat infection and at present proceeding and as on M. K. Lo for his efforts in procuring It in the evening, with coloured on their verdict which he described which will be devoted to worthy by very ill, according to the doctor, similar occasions in the past figures the use of King's College from the lights to make the scene more attraction their verdict which he described which will be devoted to worthy by very ill, according to the doctor, similar occasions in the past figures the use of King's College from the lights to make the scene more attraction and the described which will be devoted to worthy by very ill, according to the doctor. Her condition is stated to be not produced by this trame test will pro- Government for the bazaar. He live. The total amount collected on alarming at present, although her bably result in further improvements concluded by remarking that the The bazaar will continue to-day Dutch Schultz, beer baron, was Saturday will not be known till to- temperature rose to 105 degrees last and developments of the tube system, organizers had done their share to- and to-morrow from 3 p.m. to 11 ... British Wireless.

Town To-night" And London Music-Hall

"FOR THE CHILDREN"

Mr. Prentiss Bailey Gilbert, former polsons. The hand seems to be the one ZBW on a Frequency of 845 k.c's. cast affected, though generally so and on Short Wave from 1-2.15 p.m. Intro: Chasing Shadows; One night of tions, it is a simple home treatment exposed to the exhalations of the gut- and 8-11 p.m. on 9.52 m.c's. per love; I'll never say 'never again' in tablet form, discovered by an Amer-

naucess, as free launches will be run, Intercession from St. John's Cathe- casy to remember Vienna in Spring- see and feel new body power and admission will be free, drinks gratis, draft.

Schoolboy Howlers-Comedy Fox- plenty of Money and You.

Trot....Jack Hylton's Orchestra with We have been favoured with the Vocal Refrain; Where Yorkshire And ments. Lancashire Meet (Damerell and Evans)....Kitty Masters (Vocal) assisted by Bert Master. With two planos; A Melody From The Sky (film 'The Trail of the Lonesome The Senior Officer Present regrets to Pine') Kitty Masters with Orannounce to the officers and crows serv- chestra; Everything Stops For Tea- at the Piano; O Sole Mio (Di Capua) ing on the Asiatic Station the death of Fox-Trot (film 'Come out of the the Commander-in-Chief, Rear Admiral Pantry'); When the Guardsman After the war he did not return to Ralph Chandler, at Hongkong, China, started Crooning On Parade-Fox-The decensed was buried in the Trot ... Jack Hylton's Orchestra

1.0 Time and Weather. 1.03 Reginald Foort at the Organ.

Puszta (Mihaly); The Wind Has

(Bruhne); "Snow White And The Seven Dwarfs"-Selection. 1.15 The Ballyhooligans.

Rhythm-Fox-Trot.

Weather and Announcements. 1.40 Chopin-Concerto No. 1 In E Minor, Op. 11. Arthur Rubinstein (Piano) and The London Symphony Orchestra

During question time in the House conducted by John Barbirolli. 2.15 Close down. 6.00 "For The Children." Gracie In The Children's Ward. . . . Third Fleet instead of the grand Gracie Fields assisted by Jack Jack- (Tenor). Terrible losses.—Reuter's correspon- son and His Orch.; Radio Hour In The German Charge d'Agaires dent at Belgrade states that the Minis. The Children's Ward.... Marriolt Rose (film 'The Vagabond King'-

and well-sustained growth of Go. etc The B.B.C. Dance Or- produced by C. F. Mechan. chestra directed by Henry Hall with 10.30 A Dance Programme,

6.32 Sea Shantles.

(C. H. Lloyd)....Royal Naval Sing- Trot-How'Dja Like To Love Me? compel serious consideration of this ers, P. 'smouth, cond. by C. T. Lee; (Film 'Swing Teacher Swing') Songs . The Sea (arr. Terry); Intro: Jack White and His Collegions with Whisky Johnny; Sally Brown; Let Vocal Refrain; Waltz-That Night In the Bulgine Run; Blow My Bully Avalon; Colorado Sunset (from the

6.45 London Relay-Music-Hall.

Feb. 27, 1934. Bonham Road, were thronged by and Mrs. W. Kay. The United Press correspondent in hundreds of people who attended the Prior to the speeches, a three Interfere with their celations with Branch), which was opened by the Gaily decorated stalls were spread Heranen), which was opened by the grounds, and were soon Hon. Sir Robert Kotewall yesterday patronized by crowds, eager to see

> stituted some months ago, more than present, and besides tests of skill, already more than half this amount were provided. had been spent in relieving the re- Musical entertainment by welllugees. The bazaar had therefore known Chinese sereen stars, under been organized as a means of raising the auspices of the Chung Sing

including Billy Bennett ('Almost a gentleman') with The BBC Variety Orchestra conducted by Charles Shadwell. Presented by John Shar-7.45 Len Green at the Piano.

ngain; We were so young; Paris in lean Doctor. Absolutely harmless and casy to take, but the newest and most the Spring; Fare thee well, Anna- powerful invigourator known to science. belle; Melodles Of The Month No. 2; It nets directly on your glands, nerves, 12.0-12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intro: My dance; Marie Louise; It's old Seville; Melodies Of The Month your brain power, memory and evenight 12.30 Kitty Masters (Local) with No. R. 4: Intro: Where are You?; often improve amasingly. Keep calling me Sweetheart: With

8.0 Time, Weather and Announce-

8.03 Albert Sandler (Violin).

The Pantom Melody (Albert W. Ketelbey); Algerian Scene (Albert and vitality, and feet 10 to 20 years W. Ketelbey) ... with the Composer ..., assisted by J. Samchtini ('Cello) and J. Byfield (Pinno).

8.15 London Relay-Books-5. A weekly series of talks by The Right Hon. The Earl of Lytton, K.G., G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E.

8.30 A Light Concert.

Aria....Lottee Lehmann (Soprano) with Orchestra. (Sung in German); Berenice-Minuet (Handel); The Facry Queen-Three Dances (Purcell) Told Me A Story-Tango Havanera | _arr. Jacques); (a) Hornpipe; (b) Mr. William Green, head of the Rondeau; (c) Jig....The Jacques American Federation of Labour and String Orchestra cond. by Reginald Mr. John L. Lewis, leader of the Jacques; Trusting Eyes (Gartner); "Rebel" Committee for Industrial Your Eyes Have Told Me What I Did Organisation, summoning them to Nobody's Sweetheart-Fox-Trot; Not Know (Bowles-O'Hara).... appoint a committee to negotiate Whispering-Fox-Trot; Favourite Enrico Caruso (Tenor) with Favourites-Fox-Trot Medley; I Got Symphony Orchestra; 'Nell Gwyn (German); 1. Country Dance; 2. Pastoral Dance; 3. Merry-

1.30 Reuter and Rugby, Press, makers' Dance.... Jack Hylton and His Orchestra. 9.0 Mozart-Concerto In E Flat

Major, K. 271. Walter Gieseking (Piano) and Members of The State Opera House

9.30 London Relay-The News.

Rio Rita (from the film); Only A

War they were 8,000 dead and 30,000 Children Old and Young) (arr, Henry Introducing personalities from wounded. Altogether 18,000 had died Hall); Intro: Ban, Ban Black Sheep; every walk of life in interviews with Sing a Song of Sixpence; An Elephant Lionel Gamlin, flashes from the News In recent years there has been no Never Forgets; Whipsnade; Cock of the week, and Standing on the more striking feature in the develop. Robin; Hey Diddle Diddle; Little Bo Corner (Michael Standing interviews

The new railway station is new in Vocal Chorus; At Mother's Knee; Fox-Trot-Ride, Tenderfoot, Ride hand and though the building itself has Intro: Hush-a-bye Baby; Lullaby (film 'Romance and Rhythm'); Waltz tions have been into and the long stret- ... Essie Ackland (Contraito) with Organ, The Dance Band and Me R (Piano) with vocal refrain; Fox-Trots 6.30 Closing local Stock Quota- —Sweet As A Song (film 'Sally, Irene and Mary'); Please Be Kind.... Carroll Gibbons and the Savoy Hotel A Wet Sheet And A Flowing Sea Orpheans with Vocal Chorus; Fox-

CHARITY BAZAAR

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further money for the Fund in Benevolent Society, entertained

attractive, and it was up to those present to make it the success that it should be. Others who spoke were Messrs.

Lui Yum-suen, O. W. Luke and Ip

11.0 Close down.

Lun-chuen. Among those who at-The grounds of King's College, lended were Mrs. M. K. Lo and Mr.

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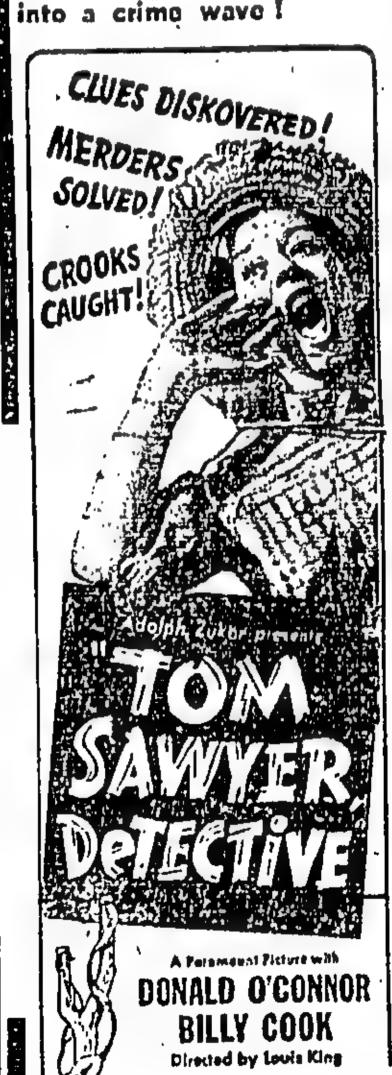
AMERICAN LABOUR.

(Nicolai); Act 1-Mistress Ford's Rival Leaders Summoned To Discuss Differences

Miaml, Feb. 25. President Roosevelt has written to Leace within the labour movement. The President added that Labour faces a challenge in finding itself

divided into opposing groups. Neither Mr. Green nor Mr. Lewis would comment on the President's action.—Reuter.

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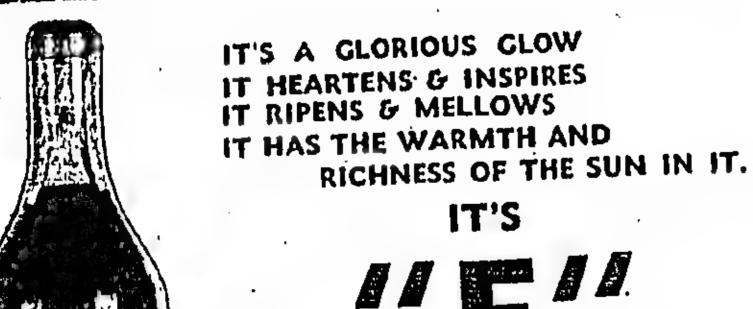
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Djongkong Telegraph.

Wyndham St., Hongkong 'Phone 26615 February 27, 1939

Holy Land Deadlock

The Palestine talks in London appear to have reached impasse, a conclusion that was forecast before they commenced. At present the chances of Mr. Malcolm MacDonald heing able me?" agreement between Jews and over the telephone," I told her, but with her permission, we would take the footprints? Did you find any?" to find any point of common settlement can be reached are extremely slim.

The cases of Jews and Arabs which the respective delegates solemnly and laboriously repeat are already known to the British Government. The hoary facts have already been unearthed and | "Better come up and see me." laid before the Government by half a dozen official commissions to Palestine.

As bath cases are irreconcilable both sides are manocuvring for favoured treatment by trying to frighten the Government with the international situation in relation to the strategic importance of Palestine in the event of another crisis.

A crisis is expected next Spain and Mussolini's demands on France, and the Arab delegaobjectives.

This is the position at present: change." The Arabs insist that Jewish "You Wantes," I said, "will please land sales by Arabs to Jews the underpaid assistant of a famous must be prohibited and an Arab detective and imagine yourself, a reset up under which the civil and hat, gent's natty blue suit, hornreligious rights would be guaran-

and that on no account must the be quite sufficient." Jewish community in Palestine be relegated to minority status which, it is claimed, would wreck the whole meaning and spirit of the Jewish National Home.

The Jews, however, appear to to the ensemble. hold the biggest end of the stick. Another factor has been introduced within recent monthsthe attitude of the United States.

The German persecution of we were embarked upon. the Jews has made a deep Impression on America and the British Government cannot and he literally quivered with exciteafford to allenate the growing ment when I happened to mention pro-British sympathy of the United States by according to At the precincts of no. 964, the the Arab demands in Palestine. Peak, I called Ah Lum saide.

F YOU WERE to throw the Hongkong Bank I into the harbour you could scarcely make a bigger splash than the one Mrs. FitzPillsbury made when she dove into Peak Society

I have nothing but admiration for Mrs. FitzPillsbury. Of the buxom type, her disposition was as generous as her figure, and Safety . . . Engineering . . . Value. she made many friends in Hong-

> though,-a very quaint way of expressing herself at times. For instance, "Lor'-luv-a-duck!" favourite exclamation of hers. Of her husband-Archibald-I pre-

fer to say nothing. I will merely ask you to recall, in connection with his transfer to west Africa two years ago, the last line of that famous little rhyme about the

I became acquainted with the FitzPillaburys through the loss of the lady's pearl necklace. Singularly enough, the incident was never recorded in the Hongkong

Pickwick, the Owl and the Waverley

papers, so allow me to give you the

ting in my office and pondering over Walt it minute, bosst cut in was able to blurt: "I was d-d-doing who should I run into but Flossie, of two problems—(a) how to get hold of Walles. "Let me show the gentle- nothing—only t-t-testing a theory." Footles. You've met Flossie, of a cutting of enklanthus splendiferous man a nice line in Cottons," ERIKSEN.—At the Precious Blood rid of my new assistant, who was his ear. "You're a sharebroker— Hospital on February 25th, 1939, turning out to be a numskull of the not a haberdasher."

> The telephone bell rang; I picked up the receiver. "Yes, I am Mr. Suckling, the pri-

vate detective," I said, "and you?" of 964, the Peak."

shadowed, madam?" "Lor'-hiv-a-duck! No! I've lost me you."

"And you want me to find them for and see my wife."

"Ain't you clever! Of course I do, that before? My husbin' isn't half cut up about it, and he's carrying on like anyfink." "Please describe the jewels, madam. and where did you lose them?"

it happens to be \$5.00 an hour, or, if a look through the house. Arabs on which a compromise you prefer to pay by results, ten per "You start at the top and work ing me the seat of his pants. "The when it's recovered."

Silence for several seconds. "Supposing it ain't worth quite \$10,000," she asked, "what then?" content with an official valuation."

I gave a suitable reply, and hung up the receiver.

Now for action! I mobilised the staff. "Waffles McTurbot!--Ah Lum!"

Waffles stepped forward. "Yes, boss?" he said. I blanched as I looked at his slop-

ing forchead.

"Where's Ah Lum?" month in the Mediterranean as my gardener until I promoted him that!" a sequel to a Franco victory in assistant sleuth. Now he calls him-"Ah Lum," I commanded, "bring

two pieces no. 4 disguise chop chop, tion will continue to use the Then take ten cents petty cash, go importance of a peaceful Pales- smoky smoky shop, and catchee this" tine as a lever to gain. their | -I wrote on a piece of paper TWO FLOR DE CABBAGIO CIGARS'-"and don't forget to bring back

immigration must be stopped, try to forget for a while that you are must be prohibited, and an Arab speciable sharebroker. Ah Lum will National Government must be give you the necessary outfit—bowler rimmed glasses and spats. You may select a few priicles of jewellery if you like, but don't overdo it. If you The Jews insist that Jewish take my advice, you will not attempt to light the cigar that I shall give immigration must be continued you. A little judicious chewing will

Having Issued these instructions, 1 quickly changed my own dress, and, in a few minutes, quite a creditable transformation had taken place in both my own and Waffles' appear-The position is a difficult one. I agreed for once with a suggestion from Waffles—a buttonhole certainly would put a finishing touch

Ten minutes later we were in the Peak Train and I was explaining to my ussistants the nature of the case

Like a hound straining at the leash, Walles was all agog when I described what I knew of Mrs. FitzPillsbury. that she had once been known as the "Belle of Hoxton."

MRS. FITZPILLSBURY

"Lor'-luv-a-duck!" Was Her Favourite Expression

She had one little peculiarity, flower beds have got footprints." bury was a keen horticulturist, I add- his hand, and why had she changed

look very nice my garden." "Can do," said Ah Lum

On the door-step was a stranger. He might be the thief.

"Excuse me, Sir," I said, lifting my you were manhandling my wifel" bowler. "Isn't this ideal weather Antamoks to start with? Or I can It was obvious that, if any light He burst into the office with: "I for a little flutter? What about a few let you have some Peak Trams very were to be thrown on the situation, say, Chief! What do you think! I've cheap. They're always moving, you Walles was the only one to do it, for found out that the pearls were false!" know—going up and down every my lady was lying on the bed in I jumped up. "Explain at once!" day-so you're sure to make a hand- the last threes of hysteria.

Then the stranger spoke, and made a most extraordinary remark.

I drew myself up. "I suppose you want your husband anything you say will be taken down, altered, and used in evidence against

about the necklace. Better go inside pealed to me, "before I tread on "pearls." Woolworth pearls they

Now why couldn't he have told us

Mrs. FitzPillabury was delighted to

"It's me ten thousand dollar pearl. No, she had not missed the necknecklace what's gone. I was wearin' lace till she went to bed Yes, the Walting for us on the road, we It at St. Andrew's Ball last night and ballroom had been thoroughly search- found. Ah. Lum. My dejection to accept as payment ten per cent. of I don't know whether it's been took ed.... No, she did not suspect any- vanished as I noticed he held a cut- its value." off from me or whether I dropped it. one.... Was she in the habit of lock- ting of one of the finest roots of Big as pigeons' engs those pearls was ing her bedroom door at night?— enkianthus splendiferous I have ever -seventy-two of them. 'Ow much Lor'-luv-a-duck, what a question to seen. do you want to get them back for ask a lady! Better enquire from "Ah Lum," I murmured, patting I'm certain she isn't the type that

start on the ground floor and work on my backside."

It was in the pantry that I came him, "In England, people say you across an important clue—a perfectly get 'Order of the Boot'—belong very good bottle of whisky with a finger—honourable order." "In that case, madam, I should be print on it. Pardon me, I mean: a bottle of whisky with a perfectly Was it a snigger I heard?-surely good finger-print on it.

I carefully laid the bottle in a des-"I'll pay by results," she said, patch case I had brought with me labelled SHARES, and was just about Arrived at the office, I got the staff it seemed workable. to turn my attention to a boiled to gather round me, and I produced chicken in the refrigerator, when a the bottle of whisky.

What on earth was happening?

What did it all mean?

but why was he bending over Mrs. the way, have you discovered whose Then, remembering that FitzPills- FitzPillsbury with a tape measure in finger-print it is?"

> Before I had time to figure the whole thing out, the infurlated husand band, making a bee dive for Waffles, had clutched the poor fish by the nape of his neck and catapulted him half way across the room.

will be good enough to explain why been "waiting for a break" as our

Walles, who was completely winded, "I was shaking the wicked hoof, when "Wait a minute, bossi" cut in was able to blurt: "I was d-d-doing who should I run into but Flossic

posed: "The whole thing's a ghastly "I haven't had the pleasure. But mistake. You see, I had an idea the go on!" necklace might have come undone "Well, she's a bit of a gay spark, and slipped down Mrs. FitzPillsbury's and when I mentioned about Mrs. neck, so I asked her to kindly put on FitzP. losing her pearls, what do you the dress she was wearing at the think she said?" ball. I was taking a few measure- "I don't know," I replied. "I give ments when you fellows barged in." It up."

Archibald, forgetting his grammar in her ladyship was in the chorus of "I'm Mr. Archibald FitzPillsbury," the intensity of his fury. "Here, the "Belle of New York" with me, At the word "jools" I recoiled he said, "and I guess you've come take this lounge lizard away," he ap- and she was always a losing of her

on her elbow.

"Lor'-luv-a-duck!" she screamed 'abit.' and, colinpsed once more. Waffles and I faded away.

him on the back, "you, at least, have would admit to wearing imitation "I don't as a rule discuss my fee I thanked her, and intimated that, done your duty. Now, how about jewellery." "Only this," smiled Ah Lum, show-

you prefer to pay by results, ten per down, Wasses," I said, "and I will fa wong here—he make one big step outlay, you can purchase a string of cent, of the value of the necklace down, Wasses," I said, "and I will fa wong here—he make one big step outlay, you can purchase a string of "Never mind, Ah Lum," I consoled

"May be very honourable," he replied, "but also very sore!"

The air was rent by a lady's pier- clue—but an important one nevertheglang screams, mingled with hysterical less. You will observe that there is washes brightened. a distinct finger-print on the neck of the bottle. I want you, Waffles, to "that, this month, you will receive" The sound seem to come from one compare the print with our Finger- \$25 less than last month."
of the bedrooms, so I dropped the Print Register. It may lead us to His face visibly wilted. chicken and dashed upstairs. Archi- the thick who stole Mrs. FitzPillsbald rushed past me and flung open bury's pearls. Meanwhile I will stammered. empty the contents into a jug for "To use one of your pet similes," I

whisky-but could find no trace of any deleterious matter having been added. On the contrary, it was exceedingly good whisky, and I had to admit that, whatever other fallings he might have, Archibald was no mean judge of the staple product of Scotland. A further test, with plain water,

which to carry out my experiments.

By the time the soda water was ex-

housted I had finished half the

might perhaps be advisable, and I was just going to draw some when

Waffles came in. "Hullo, Waffles old boy!" I said, "can you tell me which is the cold water tap? There seems to be rather a lot of them about to-day. I al-Of course Waffles would be there ways thought we had only one. By

> "Yes," said Wastles, looking at me rather queerly I thought. "Then whose is it?" I impatiently

"Yours," he replied.

"Now, perhaps," he spluttered, "you pearl Necklace lay unsolved. I had

American friends would say. And then it came—and via Waffles of all people!

some profit. Of course, if you pre- But it took five minutes before. "Last night at the hotel," he began,

"I say, Sir," he went on, turning to "She said—and these were her very Archibald, "I think you owe me an words-Pearls! Pshaw! Pearls inapology-treating me like a blooming deed! Them pearls never saw the inside of an oyster shell, I'll warrant! "Me owe you an apology!" gasped Before she got hitched to Archibald, Mrs. FitzPillsbury raised herself nature to her, and, from what you tells me, it seems she's still got the

Now what do you think of that?" I had to admit that, to say the least,

his news was startling. "But if it's true," I said, "then we're in the soup-even if we do recover the necklace-because I agreed

"Not at all!" replied Waffles, "From my short-and none too pleasant-acquaintance with Mrs. FitzPillsbury,

And then he expounded his plan. "In the Gloucester Arcade," he said, "is a shop where, for a modest artificial pearls as good-if not better

—than the real stuff. "I suggest we get a necklace made up, and hand it over to Mrs. FitzP. She's sure not to notice the difference, and then all we have to do is to bung in our bill. It's as simple as falling off a logi"

I considered his suggestion. Yes, . "Waffles," I said, "we will adopt "Here," I told them, "is our only the way, I have decided to increase

.... which means," I continued,

"I d-d-don't quite follow," he

graceful exhibition of parlour tricks Ah Lum appeared. Ah Lum was of beer and a bit of fun, but none of They both scemed sultably impress up the Peak, I made up my mind to ed, and I despatched Ah Lum for half cut your salary by \$50. Now, ina dozen bottles of soda water with fluenced by the fact that the mechanism in your cranium at last shows signs of ticking over, I have decided to give you an increase of \$25. The net result will therefore be:-exactly \$25 less than last

month." I left him to his mental calculations, and sent Ah Lum for a neckless of 72 synthetic pearls "as big as pigeons' eggs." When it arrived I set out for the

Peak-alone this time.

I rang the bell of no. 984. "Master at home?" "Yea"

I entered.

Archibald came forward. He looked none too pleased. "I have much pleasure," I said, "in informing you that I have recovered Mrs. FitzPillsbury's necklace. Perhaps you will have a look at it, and, if it's in order, it will no doubt be a plensure to you, to write me out a

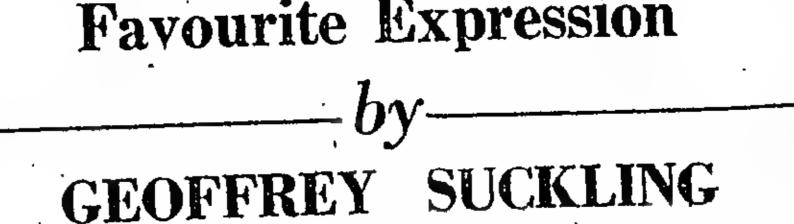
cheque for \$1,000." "\$1,000 be---!" he replied. "What shady game are you up to now? How can you have found my wife's neck-

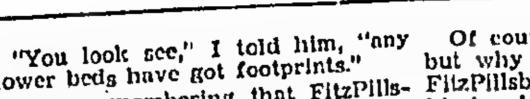
ince when she never lost it?"
"Never lost it!" I faltered. "What do you mean?" "Exactly what I say. My wife. found it in her jewel case this morning. She must have forgotten to put

it on before she went to the ball." The horror of the situation slowly dawned on me. "And, if you're not out of the house in two minutes," said Archibald, "I'll

telephone for the police."

When you have time, come along' and see my enkianthus aplandifarous. Just now it's in full bloom.





ed: "Don't forget enkianthus splendi- into evening dress at eleven o'clock ferous-allee same Chinese call mak in the morning? sat fa-makee very nice flower;

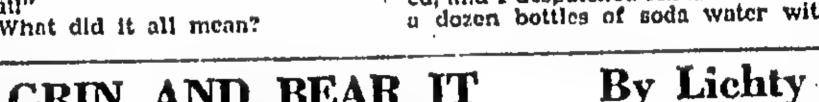
sleuthly departed. Waffies and I approached the house.

"Shut up, you fool!" I hissed in

"Who let you out?" he asked. "I'm afraid I don't quite follow you," I replied, "but, in case you are "It's Mrs. FitzPillsbury speaking, trying to be flippant, let me inform you that we are detectives, and that

Mr. Archibald.

As we entered, Mrs. FitzPillsbury examination in the inboratory. It is replied, "it's as easy as falling off a was excitedly exclaiming, "Now, quite on the cards that I shall find log. Let me explain. "Don't call me boss!" I mapped now, young fellow! Don't you get traces of dope, or"-and I lowered "This morning, in view of your disfresh with mel I don't mind a bottle my voice-"even of poison!"





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OVERNIGHT NEWS PAGE

Shanghai

Trouble

Tension Heightens

BARBED - WIRE barricades throughout Shanghai's streets have given the city the appearance it has often had during its turbulent days. The barricades have been crected by the Municipal Council, it is believed, in systematic raids to round-up the eign Minister.

The Council has delivered its reply to the Japanese demands. but has declined to make the contents known because of the Japanese desire that the negosatisfied with the reply.

The Japanese press in Shanghai to-day in Poznan and Vilna,-Reuter. continues its advocacy of the Japanese raiding the Settlement, and the Nanking Reformed Government threatens to regard the Settlemen and French Concession . as enemy land unless the outrages cease. Remarkably strict precautions were taken by the foreign police during the funeral on Saturday of Chen Lu,

regime, who was assassinated last In Tientsin the Japanese have erected barricades between the British and former German Concessions and practically encircled the United States Marines Barracks.

The Marines have entered a protest against the action. Shanghai, Feb. 25. The Tairiku Shimbun, in an editorial to-day, declares that beenuse of the terrorism Japanese troops should resort to military monping-up operations in the International Settlement without diplomatic and political negotiations,-

United Press. Press Comment

Tokyo, Feb. 26. The Chinese plan for forcing intercomplications between Japan, Great Britain and other Powers by letting loose terrorist demonstrators in the International Settlement and the French Concession in Shanghai will only defeat its own purpose, a Shanghai press message declares.

Quoting the opinion of foreign residents in Shanghai, the message points out that the present unrest, if continued, would give Japan occasion to occupy the International Settlement and the French Concession, in which eventuality she might be expected to confiscate all banks and other property of the Kuomintang Government in the Settlement and the French Concession on behalf of

the new regime in China. The mersage further quotes the opinion of foreign residents in Shanghal that the current international situation makes it impossible for Great Britain, America and France to prevent Japan from so occupying the Settlement and French Concession, if circumstances should lead her to do so .- Domet.

Nanking's Threat Nanking, Feb. 25.

Declaring that the foreign settlements in Shanghai were virtually American Consulate is assuming a under the control of the British and stiffer attitude to Japan, although the was again filled to capacity on Satur-French authorities, a spokesman of the Reformed Government said that unless the authorities concerned report by the fact that the United tions given by the Church's choir, manifest in actual practice their in- States Consulate-General has resum- under the direction of Mr. Fung Hintention to discontinue assistance to ed its wartime appearance. The chung. the Chinng Kai-shek regime the Consul-General, Mr. Gauss, was settlements would be regarded as working to a late hour to-night and refugees. "the enemy's land."

enemy's land, foreign vessels moving an extremely heavy exchange of along the coast and the Yangtse River | communications with Washington.with their bases established in the United Press. Settlement should be regarded as belonging to the Settlement, and we feel the necessity of taking independent and positive measures in selfdefence against them," the spokesman added.—Domet.

"Haunts of Devli"

Tokyo, Feb. 26. Describing the International Settlement as "the haunts of devils" in Municipal Council's reply to the East Asla, the Asahi Shimbun, lead- Inpanese protest. ing Japanese daily newspaper here, declares that the problem of the the Japanese authorities consider

"Even if the present Sino-Japanese | rages in the Settlement. was incumbent on the Chinese wish- quarters believe, are likely to lodge share in the executive control of the Jerusalem, had a half-hour conversa- the Reich vast sums in foreign ouring to develop a truly independent a fresh , representation with the country. State to eradiento the Settlement Municipal Council requesting for the It is understood that both sides St. James's Palace. which is nothing but a relie of the latter's "reconsideration of its have been given a brief outline of

past agu. "It is natural and timely that the Municipal Council," the paper concludes.-Domci.

Reply to Demands

Shanghal, Feb. 25. The Municipal Council replied to the Japanese demands to-day but declined to reveal the contents of their answer because of the Japanese request that the negotiations be kept

German-Polish Relations Strained

DEMONSTRATIONS STUDENTS AT CRACOW

WARSAW Feb. 25. ANTI-GERMAN demonstrations similar to those in Poznan and Warsaw, are reported to have taken place in central Cracow, the

New Peace

Plan Is

Envisaged

new Kuomintang Government at

subject to Japanese interpretation.

Some Chinese circles report that

the plan provides offering Third

Powers economic exploitation rights

PLANS BIG RECEPTION FOR

WU PEI FU

Wu's lieutenants, including H

PEIPING MINISTRY

shortly announce the formation of a

Ministry of Communications, which

will absorb the present Reconstruc-

Anti-Japanese Slogans

Anti-Japanese slogans appeared in

near the principal shopping centre

CHURCH MUSIC

The hall of the Hop Yat Church

- b Peiping, Feb. 26.

Faifeng, Feb. 25.

Péiping, Feb. 26.

After a meeting at Cracow University, Polish students proceeded to the German students' home shouting China

ancient capitol of the Polish kings.

anti-Nazl slogans. Twenty forced their way in and

nre alleged to have assaulted 12 Ger-man students with walking-sticks and other implements. One German student was seriously and another slightly injured. The Polish students demolished the furniture, and escaped before the arrival of the police,—Trans-Occan.

Apology Tendered Warsaw, Feb. 25.

It is understood that an official apology has been offered to the Gerpreparation for a series of man Ambassador by the Polish For-

Twenty-five mounted and foot participate, is under the consideration undesirable elements responsible police guarded the German Embassy of the Provisional Government. The ing days a wide range of subjects, plan calls for the establishment of a for the recent wave of terrorism. to-night, following the anti-German demonstrations in Warsaw, Cracow. Nanking, under the chairmanship of Poznan, Lwow and Vilna.

Wang Ching-wel and with Chinng A mass meeting of students and taking a high post, professors held in the Warsaw Polytechnic passed a resolution urging a boycott of German goods.

Polish students raided the German tiations be kept confidential. Students' Club in Cracow last night The Japanese are said to be dis- and, fought with the German students, breaking the furniture. The demonstrations were repeated

> Scene at Warrior's Tomb Warsaw, Feb. 25. Unknown Warrior, where Count Japanese will concentrate their Wireless. Ciano, who is visiting Warsaw, exploitation efforts. afterwards laid a wreath,—Reuter

Resisting Both Axes Foreign Minister in the Nanking Warsaw, Feb. 25. Poland will stoutly resist all efforts in North China in the event of

to induce her to join the Rome- those Powers acting as mediators .--Berlin axis during the coming con- United Press. versations with the Italian Foreign Minister, Count Galeazzo Ciano. Poland's policy of "flirting" with the axis but maintaining her own

freedom of action was described by a government spokesman to the United Press. It can be assumed that this summarises what high officials of the Polish Government will tell Count Clano. The government spokesman said

that "the most important thing is that we are aiming at closer friendships with the Rome-Berlin axis. Poland Peking-Hankow railway. wished to remain aloof from any axis but at the same time wishes to main- Honan, arrived here on Wednesday tain good relations with individual to open the new Provincial Governpartners of both the Rome-Berlin ment to business.

axis and the London-Paris exis. "The between-axis policy served Yu-kun and Chen Tung-sheng, are Poland well. Poland has become a busily engaged here in organizing a decisive factor in Central and East- new army to be placed at the disern Europe, so why change this posal of Wu upon his inauguration policy? If we link ourselves with of a pacification campaign,-Domei, either axis, then we lose our valuable position as the holder of the balance of nower."-United Press.

Ciano in Warsaw Warsaw, Feb. 25. The Italian Foreign Minister and Countess Ciano arrived in Warsaw to-day on a five-day visit to. Poland. Count Ciano will have a series of tion Bureau, the head of which, Yun talks with the Polish Foreign Minister, Colonel Joseph Beck, on econo- the Minister of Communications. mic, political and cultural collaboration between the two countries.

He was met by Colonel Beck at the station. Count Clano's suite includes 15 beginning of the war when chalk lournalists, among whom is Signor scrawls were discovered on the walls Gayda, noted commentator of Gior- of buildings outside Chien Men gate, nale d'Italia,-Reuter.

confidential. Informed sources de-still searching for the writers .-

clare, however, that the reply reoognised that Japan had legitimate aspirations without compromising the Council's sovereignty. Diplomatic circles report that the

exact issues involved have not been day evening, when the second recital revealed. Strength is given to this of modern Chinese choral composifive de-coders continued at their "So long as the Settlement is the desks throughout the day, handling

Japanese Dissatisfied Shanghal, Feb. 26.

Hopes for an early amicable settlement of the threatening situation arising from the recent terroristic demonstrations in the International Settlement, suffered a setback as the Japanese authorities were understood to have been dissatisfied with the

Informed quarters understand that

Following receipt on Saturday

conference last night. It was understood that the Japan- terese requests made in the original communication to the S.M.C. were not complied with in toto by the There was no meeting of the the readiness of the Jows to make

Hungary's Needs

HONCKONC TELECRAPH

BUDAPEST, Feb. 26. IN A SPECIAL broadcast outlining the nation's duties, the Prime Minister said there must be complete reconstruction of the army at the price of every effort and even sacrifice. The country should be streng-thened economically and all social problems solved, not by decree, but in a spirit of mutual comprehension of the rights of each other.—Reuter.

Britain

DEFENCE DEBATES THIS WEEK

London, Feb. 25. Various aspects of the Government's defence plans will be debat-ed in the House of Commons in three days next week.

A new plan for peace, in which when the Defence Loans Bill will be Chinng Kal-shelt may be invited to discussed on the second reading and on the second reading and on followincluding the shelter policy, evacuation, billeting and food supplies, will be reviewed in the debate on the supplementary estimates for civildefence and national service.

On Monday the Labour Opposi-This, it is held, would preserve the Chinese attachment to Sun Yat-sen tion will move a reasoned amendand the Kuomintang flag, but Sun ment which, whilst recognising the Yat-sen's three principles would be regrettable necessity for the unpre-| cedented defence programme, invites the House to express that in the in-It is understood that the plan will terests of efficiency and public be accompanied by the large scale economy the Bill ought to be prewithdrawal of Japanese troops from | ceded by more effective measures for Central and South China, coincident co-ordination of services, organisa-Two thousand students demon- with intensified mopping-up, opera- tion of supply and elimination of strated at the tomb of the Polish tions in North China, where the of excessive private profits.—British

· Long-range Flying London, Feb. 25.

Sir Kingsley Wood, the Minister, in a speech to-day said that the flight to Australia last year was a further stride forward in the plans of the Royal Air Force to develop long-range flying in the interest of British defence.

The performance was one of the most notable of British enterprises, the capture of the world's long-dis-While preparations are being made! tance flying record.

by the recently established Pacifica-Those great qualities of courage tion Commission for welcoming Wu and daring were still with the Force Pel-fu at his field-headquarters, the and with the recruits who were of a Honan Provincial Government under high quality and who were joining the control of the Provisional Govin large numbers.

ernment has formally been trans-The flight was, however, but one ferred here from Changteh on the stage in the progress of the longrange development unit which had Mr. Hsiao Jul-chen, Governor of steadily continued since its formation in January, 1938.

The unit had worked throughout with normal service types of aircraft modified where desirable in matters of details.

Previously notable flights, together with the magnificent record breaking journey to Australia, offered true appreciation of what had been accomplished.

An able authority on air strategy States, the Japan Times declares. had recently observed that up to now The Provisional Government will Britain and Egypt.

It had now been demonstrated Tung, is the favoured candidate for how small was the impediment, and it was decreasing rapidly.

In the realm of Empire defence the possibilities opened up must be a source of satisfaction to all members of the British Commonwealth Pelping for the first time since the of Nations.-British Wireless.

London Vulnerable London, Feb. 25.

"Even the most powerful air deof the Chinese city. The police are fence cannot safeguard London from | the development of the Guam debombs in case of war," is the opinion | fence defies prediction, although so expressed by Major General E. D. far it has succeeded only in awaken-Ashmore, who for the last two years ing same public opinion. has been commanding the London Air Defence Forces.

> vinced that at least during the first Yomiuri counsels. part of a war it will be impossible where the dropping of bombs of op--Trans-Ocean.

Palestine

United Press.

Britain To Submit Plan To Arab And Jew Delegates

London, Feb. 25. The British Government's tentative plan regarding Palestine will be submitted to the Arab and Jewish delegations on Monday. Details of the plan have not been disclosed officially, but it is believed that it will be the stepping stone to the ultimate creation of a Palestine State with equal rights for all citizens, safeguards for the Jewish minority and a defensive alliance with Great Britain.

from Mr. C. S. Franklin, Chalrman, Baghdad General Nurl Sald praised dence without Jewish consent and institute strict policing mensures of the Municipal Council's reply to Mr. MacDonald's patience and good co-operation, and stress that apart around the Settlement and station its their protest of February 22, Japan- temper and paid a tribute to Mr. from the validity of the Jewish defence and police forces along the ese military, naval and consular offi- Chamberlain's vision and statesman- claims on the ground of ancient hisincluding Major-General ship. He said that the Arabs have torical right, the actual position of strict outlook on the attitude of the Garrison in the Shanghai area, and borlain's recent handling of European to preclude the effective establish-Consul-General, met in an emergency that he will find an equitable solu- which they would not be a party. tion to the Palestine problem.-Reu-

London, Feb. 25. Domet. Chaim Weizmann, President of the mutual,-Reuter.

Jewish and British members, and M. Shertok, Head of the Political make a drive shortly against stimu-The Japanese authorities, the same Jews and Arabs may be invited to Department of the Jewish Agency in lands and tobacco, which would save

Jewish circles consider, it incomprehensible that any proposal should Before leaving London to-day for be made to grant Palestine indepen-

It is thought" that the informal tripartito talks yesterday nided clarification of the respective attitudes of the Jews and Arabs and made clear

U.S. Defences

JAPAN IS PLEASED BY GUAM BASE REJECTION

The rejection by the United States House of Representatives of the Guam proposal has caused disappointment in the Philippine Islands and in China, although in both countries a philosophical view is taken of the decision of the House not to pass the appropriation for the dredging of the harbour.

In Shanghai it is feared that the rejection may mean the reversal of Japan's policy of appeasement around foreign areas, which has been most noticeable recently. In Chungking it is pointed out that the rejection does not necessarily On Monday the battle will begin mean abandonment of the plan to strengthen the Pacific defences of the United States. Possibly large scale resolutions will be presented to the Senate, comments the Ta Kung Po.

> The Japanese papers spinsh the news of the rejection. One holds that peace on the Pacific has been strengthened by the modification of the bill.

DECISION STRENGTHENS PACIFIC PEACE

Tokyo, Feb. 25. The rejection of the defence plan for Guam Island by the American House of Representatives was splashed by all evening newspapers under banner headlines yesterday.

The Asahi Shimbun says that it is a matter for congratulation to both America and Japan that peace on the Pacific has been strengthened by the medification in the American naval nir base bill.

The paper says that \$5,000,000 spent on the fortification of Guam Island will only serve to stimulate Japanese sentiments. It adds that needless international complications must always be avoided.

The Kokumin Shimbun says that the prestige of President Roosevelt may possibly have gone with the Guam defence plan.

The Yomiuri Shimbun pays tribute to the American Congress for its "sound common sense" with which it eliminated the Guam defence plan. The paper says that armament and "stimulation of other Powers" form a victous circle because fresh armament causes "simulation of sentiments" in other nations which in turn feeds new armament.-Domci.

Victory for Isolationists

Tokyo, Feb. 26. The omission means a victory for the Isolationist group in the United "The Senate might still pass the the great impediment to getting full Guam item, but even in such an value from Britain's strategic air eventuality it is unlikely that there routes had been the gap between will be any change of attitude in the Lower House, Rather, indications are that the action of the Lower House will be a stimulus to the faction in the Upper House opposing

Roosevelt's foreign policy." "The virtual killing of the Guam fortification plan is destined to play a vital role in influencing the policies of the Roosevelt administration into a more moderate and sensible

course." The Hochi Shimbun considers that

"Congress should review America's policy not only toward Guam but Major General Ashmore is con- also towards the Far East," the

"The voting down of the Guam to prevent the dropping of bombs on defence plan by the American House London. Only in the course of time of Representatives shows that there would it be possible to reach a state is an identity of views between the Japanese naval authorities and the The proceeds were for the relief of ponents could be checked completely. American Lower House regarding Guam Island, a fact which is full of signficance for the future of the Pacific," the Nicht Nicht observes. The paper recalls that the Navy Minister, Admiral Yonai, stated that the Japanese Navy did not attach much importance to the reported fortification of Guam, because detached fortifications only weaken a nation's fighting strength,-Domei.

Hitler To Ban Tobacco

BERLIN.

> While the Fuchrer will not attack the Germans' beloved beer, it is expected that he will call on his followers to boycott coffee, ten. cocoa and tobacco.

Mr. Yoshinki Miura, Japanese problems and this stimulated hope ment of an Independent State to In correct and what is wrong with

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English Oxford Dictionary spell-Municipal Council authorities.— Jewish delegation to-day, but Dr. concessions so long as these were ings of these words will be found on send that desides many personal property.



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Border Affair

Russian-Japanese Tension

Harbin, Feb. 26. clash between the Soviet and Japan- tion. ese patrols on the western frontier on the Argun River on February 23 when about 50 Soviet cavalrymen course on social grounding in the opened fire without warning on the past but vulnerability in time of war Japanese border patrols near Liupien, said Lord Lytton had given new in the district of Sanho.

attack and following two hours of quarter of the workers of England fighting, repulsed the Soviet forces. and Wales and he hoped a halt would On February 24, Japanese border be called to continue the expansion guards were again attacked by Soviet of London .- British Wireless. troops while patrolling near Szeplen, five miles south-west of the border outpost at Sanho.

Hsinking, Feb. 25.

With its formal participation in the anti-Comintern pact, the Manchukuo Government has decided to strength its measures for the prevention of subversive manocuvres by Communist elements, as well as for

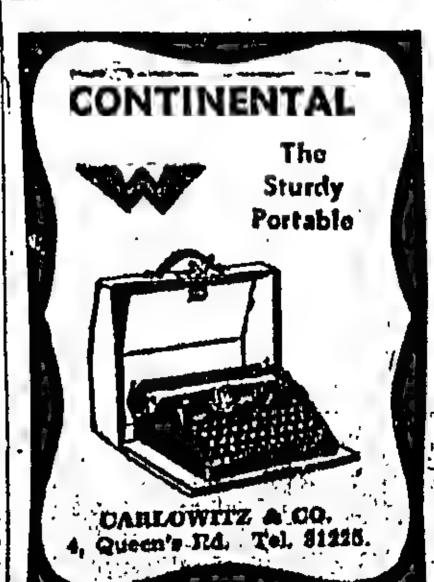
collecting information regarding the activity of the Comintern. The Government authorities stress that stricter measures than in other Soviet Union and the Holshevised

Outer Mongolia. Seeking cooperation of North and Central China and Inner Mangolia, the Banchukuo Government will

LONDON EXPANSION Planned . Decentralisation Of Industry Urged

London, Feb. 25. A strong plea to the Government to adopt a policy of planned decentralisation of industry was made by Lord Lytton when addressing the 40th annual meeting of the Garden A Soviet soldier was killed in a Cities and Town Planning Associa-

The Association has urged this lurgency to the demand. In factory The Japanese responded to the trades alone London had nearly one



ROSE ELECT OR NAVYLIGHT FOR HONGKONG DERBY?

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

BOTH IMPRESSED IN THEIR RACES LAST SATURDAY

Many Important Events On The Card To-day

Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Rose Elect ... or ... Mr. Cire's Navylight to win the Hongkong Derby

This is a problem which has been confronting race-goers for some weeks. It was expected that Saturday's racing, the first opportunity punters had of seeing the ponies in a genuine race, would throw some light on the problem. did it? One wonders.

Saturday's events were that Rose find a suitable jockey for to-day's Elect has plenty of speed—a fact big race. Mr. H. C. Pih took out which everyone who has seen the Navylight on Saturday, but Mr. morning gallops is aware-and that Moller expressed the hope that Mr Navylight scens to like a longhish J. Pote-Hunt, a friend of his, would race-which has never been really ride it in the Derby race.

confirmed. But the point now seems to be this: Will Rose Elect, which created a new record for six furlongs in the Bridge in the Trial Plate was very Maiden Stakes on Saturday (beat- disappointing indeed, and it does not ing King's Warden's best of 1.24.3), seem likely that this candidate will be able to keep it up in the longer be of any danger to Rose Elect or Derby distance? If she can, she will Navylight. Before this race was probably win despite the fact that run, however, there were many Navylight, in winning the Trial people who thought Hyndford Bridge Plate, had no opposition at all from up to the standard of these two, but the rest of the field.

GOOD PERFORMANCES

impressive, and there seems little to-day, including the Lusitano Cup, doubt that the first place in the Blue Garrison Cup, Victoria Stakes, Ex-Riband is between the two. Lilliber change Plate, Chater Cup and the and Blue Express were behind Rose Challenge Cup. Only two are for Elect, and Eve of Harvest and Con- subscription China ponics. quering Time were following Navy- Desert Chief, who broke a record light in that order; but in each case, on Saturday, has been entered in there was a clear-cut superiority of only one race, the Victoria Stakes. the winner over the rest of the field. Therefore she is almost certain to

a very fast race if Liberty Bay's -a cinch for her. Derby record is not lowered.

Derby. disappointed that his son, Mr. R. B. surprise. Moller, who rode Silkylight to vic- | Confusion Bay, it is understood, tory in the Derby and Champions at will not weigh out for any events the last annual meeting, cannot take at the Carnival, as she is under a out Navylight owing to a recurrence cloud.

The only things established by jof an old ailment, but he hopes to

VERY DISAPPOINTING

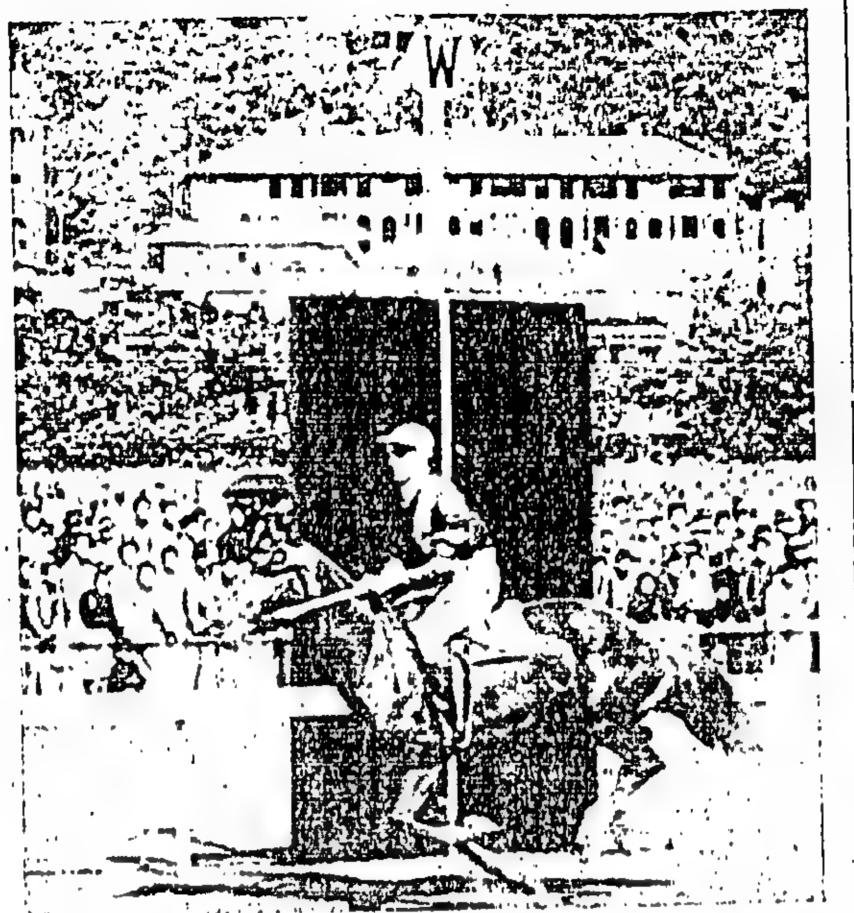
The form shown by Hyndford opinion must have changed quickly after the finish of the Trial Plate.

Apart from the Derby, there are Both performances were extremely many interesting races on the card

established in five races on Saturday lenge, but it is expected that she will morning. Therefore we ought to see be taken out in the latter race only

If there are upsets to-day, they As only to be expected, both will probably be caused by ponies . owners are supremely confident of which were left at the starting gate their candidates' ability to win the on Saturday. There were several of them. The public, therefore, are Mr. Eric Moller, for instance, still in the dark regarding their conthinks Navylight will win, though he dition, and if their jockeys can get acknowledges that Rose Elect is a them away with the bunch in to-"very fine animal." He is very day's races, one or two may cause a

South China Held 1-1 In Charity Soccer LEE WAI-TONG KEEPS



Mr. C. L. Gregory brought Strathbannock home to an easy win in the second section of the Wong Nei Chong Stakes at Happy Valley on Saturday to pay the highest dividend of the day, \$69,50. Picture shows the winner at the post .- Photo by Juffer.

GUIDE TAKE THIS COURSE RACE WITH YOU TO-DAY

The following are the entries for the races at Happy The track at the moment is very start, in which case the race should Valley to-day. Numbers in front of the ponies' names proved by the three records for Victoria Stakes and the Chal-

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BOWLERS ARE NOT HELPLESS IN MODERN CRICKET

Game Needs To Be Left Alone

ed in a speech made recently by shire Cricket Club, of which he

"The game is all right," declared alone. Much has been said about. The absence of several players forwards prevented the Rest goal the over preparation of wickets, who had been originally selected from falling. Once a misunder-We were told that it was impossi- weakened the Rest side considerably, standing by Hou and Hartley let in ble to turn the ball upon them, and the forward line seldom showed Law Tau-man, but the left wing, Even if this was so, the bowler still any real combination. There were with a yawning goal in front of has further darts up his sleeve in some good individual efforts but few him, shot outside. On another occalength, flight, change of pace and concerted ones. Moss was a hard- sion the same player had a grand

"If bowlers were to remember given little support by his inside shot wildly. this," he went on, "and concentrate men, who seldem kept up with him, on using these essential factors of thus leaving him with too much to good bowling, they would do better do. Courtney, for instance, was than just grousing about the state hanging too far back most of the of breaking a way through the Chi-

time, and Rides, playing out of his nese defence continued to fall. His It was announced that Gibbons usual position, never seemed really was a lone battle, however, though would receive over £900 from his happy at inside left. Thomas made the wingers made several fine runs benefit—a record for a Worcester- several good runs down the left wing, from passes flung out by him. But

re-elected president.



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but made the cardinal fault of look- in one of these, fortunately for the The Hon. Charles Lytielton was ing around for his inside men when Rest, Courtney and Rides kept up shire professional. re-elected captain of Worcestershire, better results might have been with the attack, and the scores were and his father, Lord Cobham, was obtained by cutting in and trying levelled. Thomas cut in and shot, but though Cheung Wing-chol, the I to put in a shot himself. In defence, however, the Rest were | Chinese goul-keeper, got his hands the equals of their opposite num- to the ball, he failed to hold it and bers. Hou Yung-song and Sheehan It went out to the right. Emberson were a steady pair of backs, and swung it back to the middle and Hartley was very safe in goal. The Courtney took a first-time shot, feet that against such a fine South scoring with Cheung still out of his China attack they conceded only one charge. This occurred four minutes from goal is tribute enough to their ability. But this was also due partly the end, and the final whistle blew to the able work of Beltrao at centre- with the scores dead-locked at 1-1. South China tried out two-comhalf, who kept a firm hold on Lee Wal-tong all the time the latter was parative "unknowns" yesterday, up in the forward line. Hsu King- Cheung Wing-chol (in goal), who shing, at left-half, was also in good played with such conspicuous sucform, though he was given a trying cess with the Chinese team in the time by Fung King-cheung and Tang last tour to Salgon, and Tam Chan-Kweng-sum. Honniball, on the fai, a Third Division half-back. other flank, however, was not quite Cheung gave a very cool and clever up to the standard of the others and display, and Tam gave evidence of provided the only weak link in an promise as a half-back. The Chinese never seemed to be otherwise admirable defence. igoing all out. The pace, as a result, MELBOURNE CUP was inclined to be slow throughout NEGATIVE FOOTBALL the whole match. With nothing at stake, the South China players did not seem to be 0 3 1 Able Amazon 154 South China A.A.—Cheung Winggoing all out. They showed a bit of chol; Mak Siu-hon, Li Tin-sang; Lau nreity, if negative, football in mid-Hing-chol, Leung Wing-chiu, Tam field, but once they had got to within Chan-fai; Tang Kwong-sum, Fung shooting distance, Hou Yung-sang, King-cheung, Lee Wai-tong, Lai Beltrao and Sheehan saw to it that Shiu-wing and Law Tau-man. they were not given any chance to Rest of Colony.—Hartley; Hou Yung-sang, Sheehan: Honniball, When half-time arrived, the score Beltrao, Hsu King-shing; Emberson, sheet was still blank, but twelve Courtney, Moss, Rides and Thomas.

all that it was a goal,

at right back.

at Caroline Hill yesterday.

minutes after the resumption, South China took the lead, through Lee Wul-tong. The Rest defenders seemed to be under the impression that Lee was off-side, and Hartley made **Matches To-night** no attempt to stop the shot, but the referee apparently had no doubt at

RECORD OF SCORING

GOAL IN EACH MATCH

Rest Side Draw Level In

The Closing Minutes

(By "Abe")

the South China A.A. were held to a draw of 1-1 in the

charity soccer match in aid of the China Relief Fund played

working centre-forward, but was chance of adding to the score, but

SCORES LEVELLED

On Moss' broad shoulders the task

Though obviously the better side in many respects,

Shortly after this, Mak Siu-hon Three matches are down for dehurt his ankle during a Rest raid. cision in the "B" Division of the Badand was out of the game for the minton League this evening. St. remainder of the match. Lee Wai- Andrew's "A", who are leading this tong, who had already kept his section of the League, should advance record of scoring in every match in- another step towards the title when tact, went back to fill Mak's position they play the V.R.C.

The programme is as follows: In spite of Lee's absence, the V.R.C. v. St. Andrew's "A" v. K. Tong "B" Chinese made several dungerous Recreio raids, and only poor finishing by the K. Tong "A" v. Chung Wah



favoured in many quarters to win the Hongkong Derby to-day. On him is Mr. C. Encarnacao, who will be riding him in the big race this



Selections Made By "Early Bird"

The following selections on to-day's races are made by "Early Bird" of the S. C. M. Post: 1st Race .

Marksman Ring Muster 2nd Raco Cockleroi . Ruby Star Chiltern 3rd Raco

Blue Express Peaceful View Jennifer 4th Ilaco Desert Chief

Bear Claw Oak Bay Rose Evelyn Double Chance Gold Sovereign

6th Race

Musketeer Oranje Boven Celtic Star 7th Raco Lucky Lnd

Lancashire Chips Able Amazon 8th Race

Navylight Rose Elect Lilliber 9th Race Wild Life Rob Roy

New Star lith Raco Slikylight ` King's Warden Red Feather 11th Race

I.—MONGOLIAN STAKES Ring Master Magog Radium Star 2.—PERTH PLATE (FIRST SECTION) Chiltern Pumpernickel

"Capt. Foster" Selects

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11.-BLACK ROCK STAKES Hectle View Galvesion Bay 12.—PERTH PLATE (SECOND SECTION) Devonian Rivulet Happy Landings

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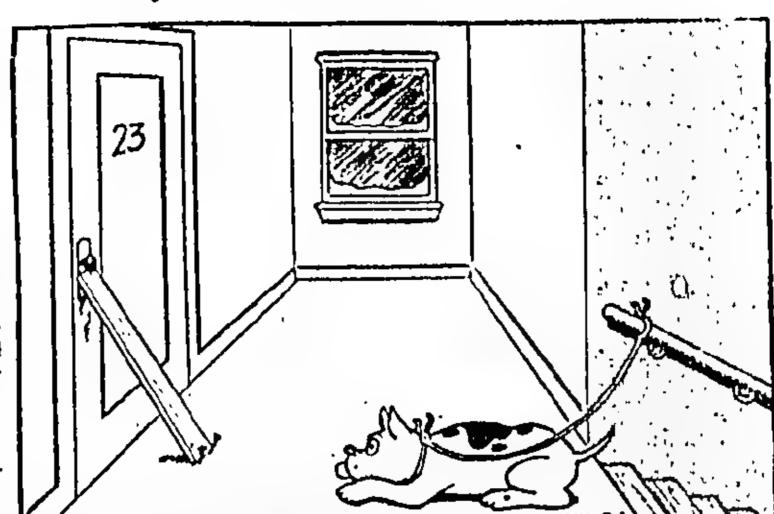
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INTERPORT HOCKEY

Many Players on View In Preparation For The Visit to Shangai

(By "The Pligrim")

The first Ladies' Hockey Interport trial was held at King's Park yesterday morning. Two games of 40 minutes each were played, giving many players a chance to be seen in action.

There was one casualty during the spraining an ankle in the first game, necessitating her leaving the field.

Mrs. Ackroyd filled the vacancy at course of the trial, Miss H. Bockler centre forward.

Colours, who had most of the play in the first game, scored through Miss D. McCaw in the second half. A nice movement by Miss J. Ewing on the right wing resulted in the goal being scored. This was the goal scored and both teams were very evenly-matched.

Of the respective goal-keepers, Mrs. Lunson, Colours, was more reliable than Miss J. Hall, of St. An-drew's, and the Colours' backs, Miss players, the Hongkong Ladies G. White and Miss M. Roza, were gave St. Andrew's a shock in the superior to Miss Moss and Mrs. Wil- Caer Clark Cup on Saturday mot. There was little to choose be-tween the pivots, Miss J. Wong when they defeated the home (Colours) and Miss. I. Woolley team at King's Park by 3-2. (Whites). The latter, in my estima- The Saints started off at a fast tion, was slightly better with her pace and it looked at one time as if

Whites' left-half, running a close they were on the defensive most of second. Miss H. Reid and Miss J. the time, the Hongkong Ladies found Booker were not at their best.

doing some very useful work. .- The M. Booker-J. Ewing partner- cut in to equalise with a grand shot.

flank. wingers, Miss J. Greig, on the right, Dalziel was unmarked and before and Miss M. Westcott, on the left, Miss J. Hall could get out, the centre were the best forwards, though Mrs. forward had the ball in the net. Dalzied at inside left, worked hard.

SECOND GAME

In the second game, which was won by the Colours 1-0, several fresh players were introduced into both teams, and a few positional changes made. Miss D. Moss in goal for the Colours gave a better display than Mrs. Read and the Colours' backs, Miss G. White and Mrs. Wilmot outshone Miss P. Everest and Miss R.

Smith. Miss I. Woolley was seen at right half for the Colours and Mrs. Williams at left-half; both gave a good account of themselves. Miss managed to tip the ball over the goal-Harker, at inside right, showed good line to put the Hongkong Ladies again form and may go close to the final in the lead-after Miss Hall had misselection. Miss D. Hunt and Miss M. Westcott, the respective left near and though St. Andrew's presswingers, changed places, the latter combining well with Miss M. Shond

for the Whites. Miss Greaves, at left half for the Whites, was also in the picture with able support from Miss A. Smith at

centre-half. This game, however, was not as interesting as the first, as severa names were submitted by the various clubs and players had to be given a trial to prove their worth. Several well-known players were not seen in action and their chances for the Interport cannot be ignored. I shall make further comments on

Thursday. Mrs. Webb informs me that there will be another trial next Sunday morning.

LEAGUE Recreio Defeat Panthers By One Run Margin

Scores of yesterday's games are as

Men's League English Forum 6, Machine Gunners 5. Filipinos 12, Central British 3. Women's League Rocrelo 19, Panthers 18. Inter-Hong League Green Spots 21, R.A.F. 11. Socony 27, China Underwriters 5.

Honal City Bank, 8. v. Friendly Club de Recreto 12, U.S.S.

Surprise Saints XI

(By "The Pilgrim")

Though having only ten

the Hongkong Ladies were in for a Mrs. I. Stone, the Colours' right- rough time. Miss J. Wong gave the was the best wing-half on Saints the lead in a brilliant solo with Miss D. Watson the effort after 15 minutes, but though the net on two occasions to take the

ball on the run and with great speed ship also shaped well on the right Almost immediately Miss M. Smalley, after a good run on the right wing, the Colours' attack, both put across an excellent centre. Mrs.

> Thereafter the home side attacked up the middle but poor shooting by their forwards saw Hongkong Ladies still in the lead at half-time.

SECOND HALF

After the interval, the Saints' at tack got going and by means of some good passing and speedy following up. equalised through Miss F. Wong. All through this half, the Saints were mostly pressing, although Mrs. Dalziel and Miss Purvis, for the visitors, were always a source of danger.

In the Inst five minutes, however, Mrs. Dalziel, in a brenkaway, just kicked a clearance. The end was ed hard, the staunch defensive work of Miss Pope, Mrs. M. Bell and Miss E. Grey prevented their scoring.

Mrs. Lunson was in excellent form in the visitors' goal and her play, injury, Bosanquet was the best wing her great spoiling work, receiving particularly in the second half, was a three on the leid. distinct feature of the game.

Miss G. White, Miss J. Wong and Miss H. Reid did well in the Saints' defence, and though their re-arranged forward line displayed more dash, their understanding and finishing left much to be desired.



Frances Farmer scores again in ford, Bompas, Stark, Stewart, Har-Paramount's thrilling drama, "Ride man, Taylor, and Redman. Hongkong Shanghai Bank 25, Na- a Crocked, Mile," which is being shown simultaneously at the Queen's and Albambra Theatres. Also in the Min- cast are "Akim" Tamiroft and Leif



A scene of the French revolution, from "Marie Antoinette," starring Norma Shearer and Tyrone Power. The picture, which marks the return to the screen of Norma Shearer, who is reported to be gravely ill at the moment, is now being shown at the King's Theatre. The two stars are shown in the inset.

BANKERS HOLD CLUB Form Guide TO A DRAW IN ANNUAL ENCOUNTER

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

On Saturday afternoon on the Navy ground at Causeway Bay, pressive. Miss M. Shand, at finside The first goal followed a movement left, and Miss D. McCaw, at centre started by Mrs. Dalziel who, at the forward, formed a good combination half-way line, sent the ball out to the with Miss D. Hunt on the left wing left wing. Miss Purvis caught the ing away possible scoring chances through bad passing.

> have things their own way. The entertainment is promised. Bank back row forwards were quick in going round on Henderson whenever Club heeled. Hutchison was much subdued and yet he obtained what has been for him a try per match for February. Although he did not make yesterday's try, he obtained it by good backing up.

The Bankers held a slight superiority in the tussle between the packs, especially in the set scrums where Dunnett hocked well for them. Watson, who played in the back row three seasons ago for Club, was a lively wing forward on Saturday, here, Britain, so far, has been beaten Harman, who was playing his first in all matches. The results to-day game in the Colony, was well up with were: the ball on every occasion.

The Club three line had very little method in its play, probably due to the fact that it was composed of Miss Rosemary Thomas (Britain) three wing threes and a forward. 6-3, 7-5. Powell was the most forceful player with Stewart inclined to barge through rather than use his speed to get him round his opposite number. Up to the time he received an ankle

The Bank backs possessed more gulle although they were inclined to wander. Day confirmed the impression he made three-weeks ago in a Wednesday fixture. He is quick off the mark and possesses a good to have been held by the Civil Serside-step and swerve. Carruthers vice Cricket Club at their courts at and he were two enterprising inside Happy Valley yesterday was postthrees on Saturday. The former, poned owing to the weather, and will however, has still an inclination to be held next Sunday, March 5, comlose his head once he breaks through mencing at 2.30 p.m. Entrance fee and throws out wild passes. He has for the tournament will be \$1. a long stride which makes it particularly difficult to bring him down.

Taverner and Butcher were content to feed their threes—a wise move on the day's play. A notable absentee from the Bank team was R. C. L. Oliphant, who left the Colony a week ago for New York,

to which city he has been transferred. TO-DAY'S GAME

This afternoon at 4.45 p.m., the 6 mins. 34.3 secs.—Trans-Ocean, Club "A" will meet a team drawn from the Hongkong Police. It is understood that B. C. Fay, who did so well for Police at cricket last Saturday, will make his debut in the Police rugger team to-day at stand-off half. The following will represent Club

Fex; Cole, Nelson, Carruthers, Watts: Day, Henderson; Salter, Bur-

SEVEN-A-SIDE

Unexpectedly the Club halves, Army will hold their Seven-A-Side Henderson and Hutchison, did not Tournament. 'A good afternoon's

BRITISH **PLAYERS** BEATEN

Capelown, Feb. 25. In the third and last Lawn Tennis test match which is being played

N. G. Farquharson (S. Africa) beat R. A. Shayes (Britain) 6-3, 6-4, Miss Olive Craze (S. Africa) beat

Kirby and Mrs. C. J. Robbins (S. Africa) beat Shayes and Miss Jean Saunders (Britain) 6-2, 6-4. Farguharson and Miss Craze beat D. Butler and Miss Valerie Scott (Britain) 6-0, 5-7, 7-5. The match will be resumed on

Monday.—Reuter. TOURNAMENT POSTPONED

The tennis tournament which was

HVEGER'S RECORD

Copenhagen, Feb. 25. Ranghild Hveger, the famous Danish girl swimmer, succeeded on] Friday evening in improving on her own world record for the 500 metres free style, from 6 mins, 39.1 secs, to

The final of the Junior Golf Championship of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club was played off at Fanling yesterday when H. N. Williamson beat J. C. L. Pearce at the forticth

OUR SPELLING BEE (see page 7) armourer--armadillo--politesse. · To-morrow afternoon at 2,30 p.m. stradivarius -- strait waistcoaton their ground; at Sookunpoo, the arithmetic.

For Races To-day

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ENCLOBURES Members are reminded-that theytheir ladies MUST wear their badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting. NO ONE WITHOUT A BADGE

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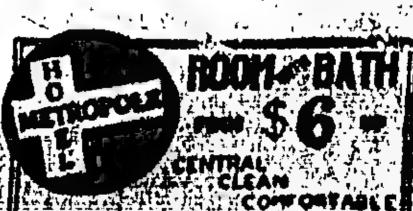


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FROCKS FOR THE OFFICE



TOU will need to wear your top coats for some time yet, so the best thing to do is to have a new warm frock. It will make a pleasant change in your ward-

The styles here are selected for those who spend their days in offices, so, if you want to be one of the three smart girls shown in the sketch, here are a lew tips as to colours and The girl who is handy with her

needle is having a grand time among the fabric bargains just now. Rust, copper and tan are excellent shades to choose. They blend attractively with black, navy, green or brown coats, and give you a fashionable combination. If you do not want an all-wool frock, then I suggest a wool and art,

silk marocain. Spring Fashions

Yoked styles and short sleeves are going to be featured in spring fashions. Note that the latter are squared and without an excessive puff. They are perhaps a little cool for present day wear, so above are shown two of the styles with long sleeves. No. 1233 shows a youthful style with a simply cut skirt for the small woman. This would look attractive in kinglisher blue with cigar brown collar and cuffs, or if you prefer a pastel touch then choose dawn pink.

Next comes a useful buttoned MAR. 4th at 6.00 p.m. style, No. 1234, with a narrowed yoke MAR. 17th at 12.00 Noor that will suit the shortish woman, MAR. 18th at 6.00 p.m. for these lengthening lines are MAR. 31st at 9.00 p.m. height-making.

A searf gives a bright fillip to colour and buttons should mutch.

Slimming Stripes

Maybe you have to watch that hipline, so enoose a fabric with a faint chalk stripe. It's slimming! Stripes! are neatly worked crossways and down in No. 1235, and buttons trim the front.

A small shoulder yoke gives the right fashion note to your dress.

FASHION NOTES

Velvet chenille is often used for evening gowns. There is also a pale turquoise lame made from thread which lends itself to ulmost any style of stitch, and there is a copper evening model which is in metal thread. Generally speaking, the favourite trimmings are flowers which the dress-makers are placing everywhere. For the evening we see them at the belt, the waist, at the back, on hie shoulders, in garlands as sashes, or in necklaces, on gloves, and in the

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How Young Do You Feel?

WHEN you hear your masculine W acquaintances discussing the ageing legs of some boxer or footballer, has it ever occurred to you that the old sporting adage about an athlete being no younger than his legs applies with equal force to every woman-whether she indulges in any

kind of sport or not? If only more women realised this fact and took the trouble to act upon it, there would be fewer prematurely ageing wives in the world, and more happy marriages, too. For legs and feet play so important a role in everyone's life that, neglected, they are often the real source of much of the unhappiness and misunderstanding to be found in so many homes to-duy.

Take a typical young modern couple. The wife has probably given up an office job, or come straight from a home in which her domestic duties have been of the lightest character. Being young and naturally anxious to look her best, she has always taken care of her feet and legs, and has worn the best shoes she could afford.

Encroaching Carelessness

On marriage, this girl finds herself with a little home of her own. She has now no competition to face, and how her feet and ankles look in the privacy of that home does not seem to her to matter. Her job no longer depends upon her appearance, and now that she is actually married she drifts into being much less particular about always looking her best.

In little things, when working about the house, she tends to let her appearance "slide," and one of the first details which she will almost certainly neglect will be her feet. Yet in doing this housework she is probably upon her feet more than she realises, and is placing additional strain on her legs.

Not only does she use her feet and legs more than she dld before her marriage, but, in the natural course of things, she sooner or later begins to put on weight, probably an average of from ten to twenty pounds: That increase is additional weight

which her feet and legs must carry

Yoked frock in kingfisher blue, with youthful skirt. Dainty collar and

cuffs of dawn pink organdi.

Ever popular scarf neckline featured on a trim coat-frock style with bright buttons and slanting pockets.

Challs stripes are slimming. They go two ways on this becoming frock for

the fuller figure.

Most disastrous of all is the all-too common "economy" regarding house shoes. Many women cannot see why in the privacy of their own homes they should not wear out old shoes no longer presentable enough for the

street or evening wear.
Such "sloppy" footwear, while it may give the wearer a false sense of comfort, is bound to cause incalculable harm. For shoes which have test their shape offer no support to the feet, and when they have become overrun at the heels they throw considerable strain upon the muscles of both feet and legs.

Mental Strain

But the damage does not end there. It is an established physiological fact that tension in muscles or strain upon any part of the body produces nerve strain and irritability.

Though the housewife may smarten herself up for her husband when her, day's work is done, and puts on a good pair of shoes in which to greet him, she forgets that she cannot freshen up her brain that has suffered all day on account of the muscular strain on her feet and legs. No amount of time spent before her mirror will avail to perk up her frayed nerves.

In spite of herself, she is irritable; the most trivial misunderstanding is magnified into a heated argument. She nags her puzzled husband, probably without realising that she is doing it, and he, being himself tired after his day's work, is, in no mood to make allowances.

It is therefore well worth while to go to the very little trouble which is all that is necessary to keep your feet and legs as young as they really are. A few simple but regular exercises, and the paying of at least as much attention to the shoes a woman wears about her home as to those she wears when dining out will pre-

vent domestic discord. For the axiom that an athlete is only as good as his feet and legs also goes for the housewife, the typist, and every woman.

Grape Fruit And Orange Marmalade

MOST grape-fruit recipes sound, very complicated, and involve a good deal of work, but here is a very simple one well worth trying:-

Take two grape-fruits, two oranges, and four lemons. Scrub Well, cut in two and squeeze out the juice. Any pulp or pipe tie in a piece of muslin.

Put all the skins through a fine mincer, not a shredding machine. Steep all in 18 tencups of water for 24

Then pour into pan and boll for a few minutes. While this is still boiling, add 10 lbs sugar.

Allow the sugar to dissolve, then boil gently for one to one and a half hour, or until ready to set. This should make about 20 one pound jurs.

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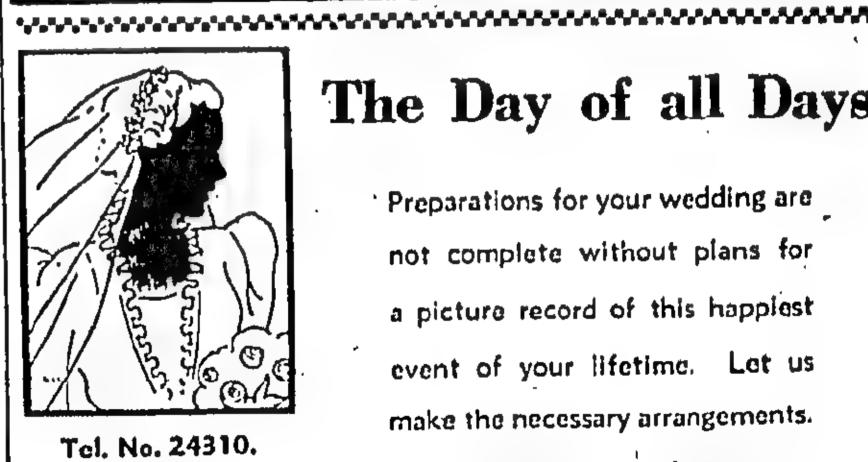
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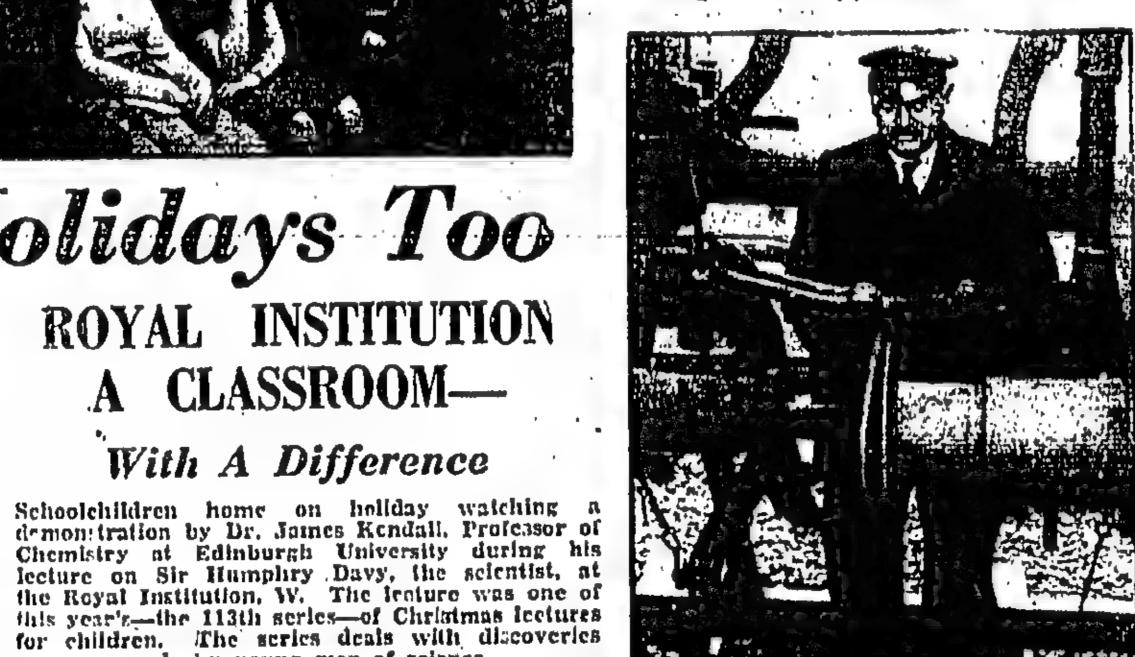


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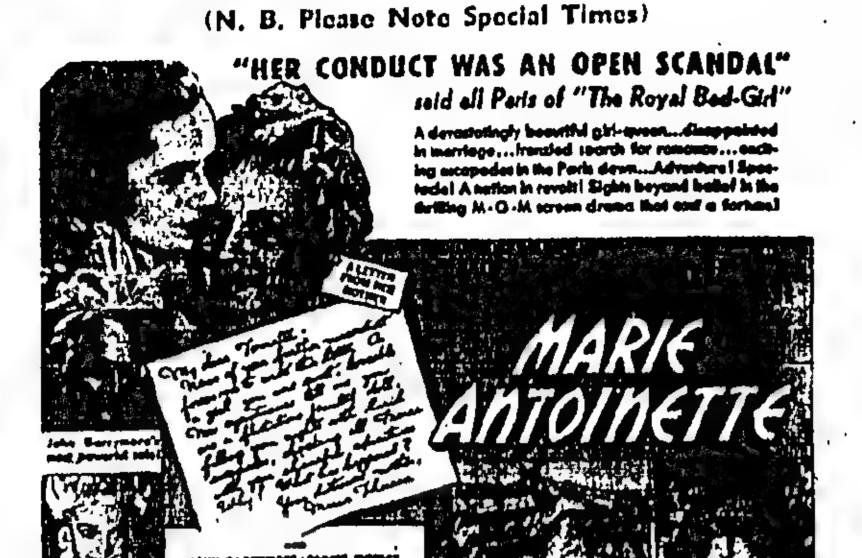
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cently. P. Lloyd, dazed on the floor. Nothing field gunz are making a concerted drive westward on the Chinese posi-

P. J. Williams, a florist whose shop to the south-cast of Shihlipu. is next door, and walked out to water his flowers. He later found that his flowers the Chinese left wing at reflection in a mirror in the doorway Sunking, has been repulsed with conof Mr. Lloyd's shop could have been siderable loss, seen by any one standing inside,

tion scared the attacker, causing him staggered out into the street.

into his shop three times and asked The third time, as he spoke, he

keeper on the head. bout the street before the attack, with no signs of yielding .- Soochow, including Mr. Williams' girl assistant, Central News. agree that he was handsome, aged twenty-two to twenty-seven, about ux foot tall, with dark, well-greased lmir, and dark suit.

Woman Wanted To

Market Harborough. Mrs. W. J. Southam, smartly dressed widow of a rich Northamptonclap two policemen's faces.

case had been heard and tried to ad- on the Shansi-Honan border,

ered her to be ejected. For the next hour her shouts could trat News. be heard from outside, and once she attempted to re-enter the court. Finally, she was told that if she wanted to make an application she could do so in writing, and a note

made no comment. had been threatened with a rate Railway in northern Honan, last summons and wanted advice from the Friday. Bench.

Burma-Yunnan Road

THE possibility of the Government giving any assistance towards the improvement of the Burma-Yunnan Road was referred to in a question in the House of Commons recently:-

Captain P. Macdonald asked the Under-Secretary of State for Burma whether the Government of Burma is giving any assistance to improvement of the existing road to the Chinese frontier whence it is continued to Yunnan; and, if not, whether, in view of the development of this trade route to the Far East, it can bring this thoroughfare up to modern standards?

Czar of Russia, was suddenly taken seriously ill to-day.

Prince Andrew and his mother, the Grand Duchess Xenia of Russia, are at the sick bed.

The family occupy a suite of rooms in Hampton. Court Palace.—Trans-Ocean.

CITIZENSHIP SOUGHT thoroughfare up to modern standards?

MAKE IMPORTANT

ICHANG, Feb. 27. on the eastern section of the Hankow-Ichang highway at Takwanmino and Waminotsi was continued unabated throughout the last week-end, with strong Chinese reinforcements steadily pushing up from the rear.

After a momentary recapture by the assailant of a sixty-four- Chinese guerillas, Waminotsi was old trader attacked in his lock-up again lost to the Japanese who are now checked from further westward Railway-approach, now enecked from Chinese forces. Along the Kingshm-Chungsiang The attacker ran from the shop, and paralleling the Hankow-Ichang leaving the shopkeeper, Mr. Edward highway, 200 Japanese forces with

To the south of the Hankow-Ichang on the Nanking-Shanghai Railion seared the attacker, causing him ion seared the attacker, causing him invaders in the vicinity of Yokow, and the Nanking-Shanghai on the Nanking-Shanghai way, about 54 miles west of Shanghai.

Yokod, on the Han River. pulled a heavy instrument from his vaders to cross the Slang River to lity of arms and ammunition.

> CHIHSIEN RETAKEN Chengehow, Feb. 27.

during the last week-end, according to a military despatch received yesterday.

in series of raids, completely wiping out the feeble Japanese garrison of about 50 men, and re-entered the town without a single loss.-Central

> SOUTH SHANSI BATTLE IMMINENT

Tungkwan, Feb. 27. shire auctioneer, was turned out of A big battle is expected to break The hay could not hold its lead, however, Market Harborough police court re- out soon in south Shansi as more in the straight. Candlelight cantering home cently after she had threatened to than 4,000 Japanese troops from an easy winner. The time was six seconds Anyi, Yungeheng and the vicinity outside the record. Mrs. Southam, who was sitting in are driving south-eastward in the a front seat, jumped up after a minor direction of Yuanku, strategic town

to sit down and the magistrates ord- clashed with Chinese defenders at About Half Mile 170 Yards, Henglingkwan near Yuanku .- Cen- Li Po Chun's CONQUERING TIME

JAPANESE ATTACKED IN NORTHERN HONAN

Loyang, Feb. 27. More than 300 Japanese troops with several artillery pieces were The magistrates considered it but waylaid by Chinese forces at a vil-Mrs. Southam said later that she terminus of the Taokow-Chinghua

> Taken completely by surprise, the Japapese were thrown into great confusion and suffered considerable losses during, the lighting.-Central

Czar's Niece: Sudden Illness

London, Feb. 26. Princess Andrew, niece of the last Czar of Russia, was suddenly taken

Lieut.-Colonel Muirhead: The Government of Burma have already brought the road from Lashio to the Chinese frontier—a distance of about 120 iniles—up to an all-weather standard, and further work is in progress upon its improvement.

Fort Bragg, Cal.

Mrs. Kaisa Gerberg has taken out her naturalization papers at the age of 82. She was Born in Finland in 1850 and had been in this country for 50 years. She wants to cast her ballot as an American citizen.

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CHINESE GUERILLAS ADVANCES

BITTER FIGHTING which started afresh several days ago

GUERILLAS MARCH ON **SOOCHOW**

CHUNGKING, Feb. 27. -A-STRONG detachment of Chinese guerillas are rapidly marching on Soochow, scenic city known as Venice of China

know that anything was wrong until which the Japanese entered last report from Shanghai, commenced week. The enemy force at Yokow their drive on Soochow during the staggered out into the street. Mr. Lloyd said, that the man came satisfied with intermittent bombard— a village called Likow, less than 10 ment on Tsienkinng, ten miles west of miles from the city. They succeeded in inflicting considerable losses on the Several attempts made by the in- Japanese and seizing a large quan-

mackintesh pocket and hit the shop- the south bank were fraustrated by On February 21 and 22, the the Chinese defenders, who hold National flag was seen flying at Chi-Those who saw the man leitering stubbornly on their uparian positions men, one of the north city gates of

The same flag was also sighted at the different bridges along the Southow-Shanghai Highway. All these bridges have been damaged by Chinese guerillas in eastern Honan the guerillas in order to impede have re-captured Chilisien, small Japanese communication. -- Central town ten miles south of Lanfeng, News.

JOCKEY GOES TO The guerillas attacked Chinsien in HOSPITAL AFTER FIRST RACE SPILL

(Continued from Page 1.)

the barrier, and played up to such an extent that it got away to a bad start. Pumpernickel got away to a good start, but was soon displaced by Sydney Lad.

LUSITANO CUP (3RD RACE)

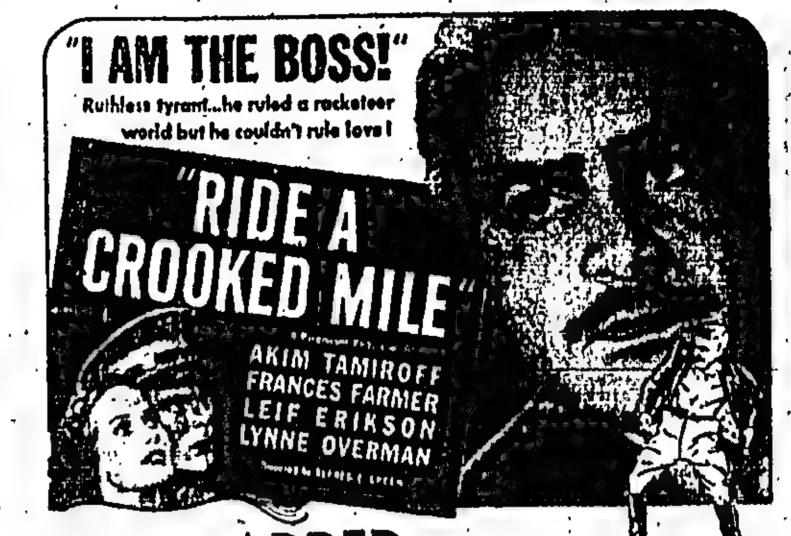
Winner Cup and \$1,000; Second dress the Bench. A police superin- Japanese vanguards, according to \$400; Third \$250. For China Ponles, tendent spoke to her, but she refused a report reaching here, have already bonn fide Griffins of this Meeting. 155 lb.(J. Pote Hunt) Eve's EVE OF HEAVEN 161 lb. (F. Marshall) 2 V. M. Grayburn's AVON 161 lb. (H. J. A. Hearne) 3

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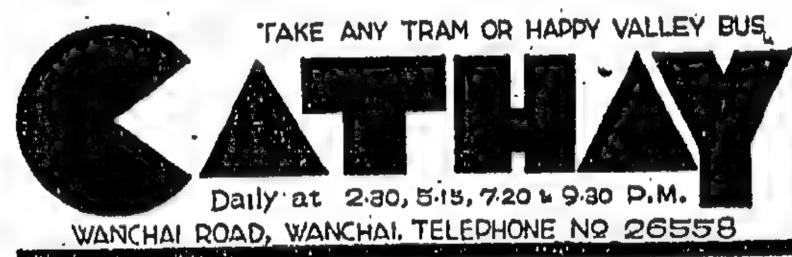
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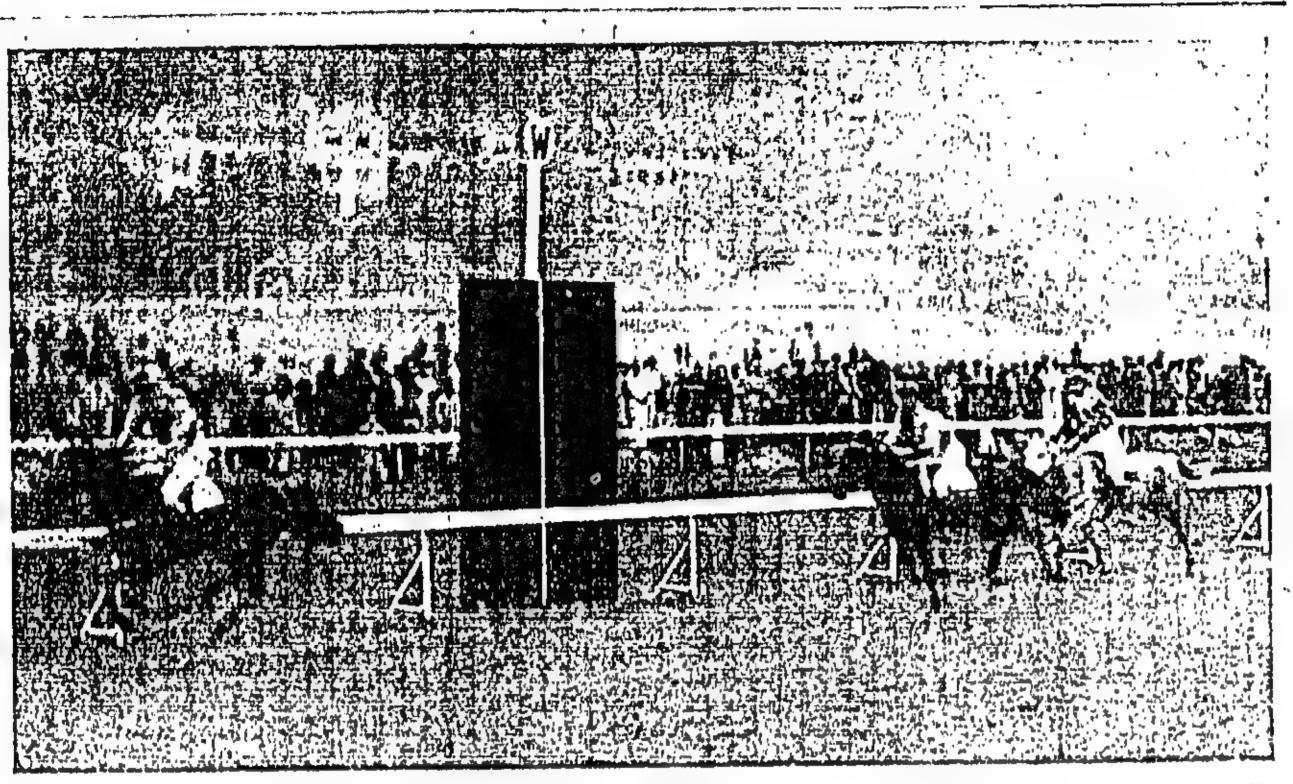
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Marksman cantering home an easy winner at the Valley Races to-day. Marksman won the Mongolian Stakes from Guinness Time, with Magog third. There were 25 starters. Staff Photographer.

He had a distinguished career.

Graduating at the Law College!

of Tokyo Imperial University,

member of the suite to the delega-

tion to the Pence Conference at Paris .

. He became second secretary at the

The following year he was ap-

He was Minister to the Netherlands

for some time, and then, in 1934,

MR. CORDELL HULL'S

SYMPATHY

Washington, Feb. 26.

was appointed Ambassador

in the Foreign Office in 1929.

London Embassy, and attended the

Obituary

NOTED JAPANESE STATESMAN DIES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. THE DEATH has occurred of Mr. Hirosi Saito, former Japanes Ambassador to the United States, at the age of 52 .--

Mr. Saito was Japanese Ambassador to Washington from 1934 until last year.

BORDER BOMBING

"Anglo-Japanese Officials To Visit Scene

ACCORDING TO a "Domei" message from Tokyo, negotia- first League of Nations Assembly at tions are to commence in Hong- Geneva in 1920. kong shortly for the payment of pointed Consul at Seattle, and in indemnities and other technical 1923 he became Consul-General in affairs in connecting with the New York. bombing outrage last monday.

Representatives of the Japanese director of the Information Bureau Government will negotiate with officers of the Hongkong Government, and will visit the scene of the inci-

"Domei" reports that an official British communication handed to the Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, Mr. R. Sawada, by the British Ambassador, Sir Robert Craigie, accepts the settlement offered by the Japanese Government.

Following the informal communica- death of the eminent Japanese tion, which was made on Saturday diplomat, the Secretary of State Mr. morning, the British Ambassador Cordell Hull said that the last called on the Vice Minister and Ambassador, Mr. Hiroshi Saito, had harded a written Note to the contributed much towards promotion Japanese Government...

DAVENTRY REFERENCE

Considerable reference to the bassador Saito always showed great border bombing incident was made during the 0.30 p.m. Weekly News letter broadcast by the Empire Short-wave station at Daventry last night.

Mr. Hull pointed out that Ambassador Saito always showed great sympathy and understanding in dealing with various problems between Japan and the United States. The occurrence of many difficult problems At the conclusion of the relay, the during his tenure must have strained the late Ambassador considerably,

announcer at ZBW stated: . "To those of our listeners who Mr. Hull added.
heard the relay of the Weekly News The funeral service will be held at Letter from Daventry, we would ask the Japanese Embassy here on Tuesthem to remember that the word day. Cremated here, the remains 'Kowloon' does not convey the same meaning to listeners in England as it does to us here."

The announcement was made on instructions from the Postmoster-General, Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones, who said this morning:

"To residents at Home, the word "Kowloon" denotes the whole of the Kowloon Peninsula up to the border. listening to the Weekly News Letter the island and in Kowloon are to be from Daventry last night might have doubled. thought it was a continuation of the dally news and might have gathered cept rural areas. the impression that a very recent l bonibing had taken place in Kowloon day, the Postmaster-General, Mr. E. Itself. Therefore, I decided broadcast the statement to correct all ness houses to make arrangements local misapprehension."

M NOTHING TO ADD Approached by the "Telegraph" this morning the Colonial Secretary understood, be made at 7 a.m., and stated that he had nothing to add to the last delivery will start at 6 p.m. the "Domei" statement.

Evacuation Order

and Kweiyang .- United Press.

SYDNEY, Feb. 26. ACCORDING TO the

"Sydney Morning Herald," the Federal Cabinet has decided to repeal the National Insurance Act owing to the high cost of Australia's defence programme.

The Act came into force last summer and provided for medical benefits under a conhe entered the diplomatic service tributory scheme which it and became an Attache at was estimated, would cost the Washington in 1910. He was Government nearly £2,000,third secretary to the Japanese: 000 in the first four years. Embassy in London in 1918, and all -Renter.

Cash Sweep Results

In 1930 he was Councillor at the drawn at Happy Valley to-day: London Embassy, having served as

No. 1582 No. 1549

RACE 2

Expressing deep regret over the RACE 3 United States in the past five years. Mr. Hull pointed out that Am-

RACE 4 No. 1846 No. 3824 No. 2084 RACE 5 No. 771 No. 4112 No. 1215

352, 2031, 1207, RACE 6 No. 1154 No. 2664 No. 638 (Continued on Page 4.)

SPEED UP

As from next Wednesday, local 3800, 3471, 144, 3373. "Residents in and near Hongkong deliveries of letters by postmen on

> The decision will apply to all ex-In making this announcement toto I. Wynne-Jones pleaded with busi-

for the reception of letters late in the evening. Early morning deliveries will, it is No registered mail will be sent out

in the 6 p.m. delivery. It is hoped that in most cases these extra deliveries will allow air mail portant victory eart of Honan during from England and Australia, which the last three months, when they Chungking, Feb. 26. from England and Australia, which the last three months, when they the Government had ordered civi- usually arrives in Hongkong after killed approximately 1,000 Japanese lians to evacuate Chungking, Chengtu the existing last delivery, to reach addresses on the night of arrival.

TO PAY FOR WAR!

following numbers were hospital in an ambulance.

RACE 1

Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 1050, and needed only one 2672, 2942, 2150, 1407, 1100, 545, 1309, 1439, and needed only one 2608, 37, 706, 2095, 188, 622, 1522, 2714, 527, qualify for promotion, 631, 1058, 2065, 136.

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RACE 7 \$3,043,60 434.80 No. 2018 Unplaced ponter (\$50 each): Nos. 5430, mass of humanity, thousands

Chinese Victory In Honan

Chungking, Feb. 26, Chinese reports from Loyang state II. Leigh's GUINNESS TIME 158 lb. and routed the remainder of a large \$30.90; \$9.80. force at Changyingchi.—United Press.

Injured, Sent To Hospital

Jockey

FEBRUARY

HONGKONG DERBY was run this afternoon in cloudy weather before an attendance that was a record for Derby Day.

Mr. Eric Moller's Navylight went out to the starting post the favourite. Contrary to expectations Rose Elect did not start a firm favourite, being dis-Australia Repeals placed not only by the Shanghai pony but also by Health Legislation Eve of Harvest and Lilliber.

There were five starters. The ponies got off to a good start a few seconds after four o'clock and were cheered intensely by a large crowd which included several people who, only half-an-hour previously, had drawn starters in the mammoth Derby Sweep.

Earlier this morning, it was announced by Mr. Moller that H. C. Pih, who rode three winners on Saturday, would be in the saddle of the Shanghai favourite.

Mr. C. Encarnacao, who so far has had a far larger number of winners chestnut pony, II. Marshall was on Eve of Harvest and D. Black on Lilliber,

. The second day of the meeting opened before a moderate erowd which quickly swelled to thousands after the tiffin adjournment.

JOCKEY INJURED

The first race, the Mongolian Stakes, was marred by an accident which necessitated the removal of one of the jockeys, G. W. Sewell, to

Mr. Sewell was riding his own entry, Geordie, in the event, and was heavily thrown just after the twentyfive entries got away from the start-

Mr. Sewell was a novice jockey, and needed only one more win to Contrary to expectations yesterday,

sale of tickets in the mammoth Derby sweep did not reach 600,000. When It was announced this morning that the sale of tickets would cease at 2.30 p.m. there was a mild rush to obtain numbers, and the ticketsellers were kept busy right up to the closing time. To cope with the rush ticket windows were kept open of friendship between Japan and the 351, 1220, 2370, 142, 612.

Immediately after the close the half-million chances went into the barrel for the lucky draw. The barrel was surrounded by an DOUS strain on the Japanese

FRENZIED BUYING

rush to buy tickets in the \$230,000 gamble during the after-tiffin period. ning of the war, the total numaround the counters where the tickets down, destroyed, severely damag-Unplaced ponics (\$50 each): Nos. 2309, were being sold, waving their money 1114, 2005, 2682, 4888, 3147, 619, 1037, 3150, and attempting to buy their chances 2062, 2435, 4017, 2028, 834, 3437, 2185, 2327, before sales stopped at 2.30 p.m. and attempting to buy their chances ed, or otherwise lost reached the There has seldom been such a huge | end of last year.

crowd of "non-paying" spectators at Hongkong races. The flat inside the race-track is Chinese following the fortunes their favourites with avid interest. His Excellency the Governor- and Lady Northcote arrived at noon. Also among the spectators were the Commander-in-Chief and the General Officer Commanding.

MONGOLIAN STAKES (IST RACE)

Winner \$1,000; Second \$400; Third Half Mile 170 yards.

(J. Pote-hunt) 2 Won by length and half; two lengths. Time:-1.09.4. Pari-mutuel:-Winner \$6.00 Pinces

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VALLEY

SINGLE COPY 10 CENTS \$30.00 PER ANNUM

C. ENCARNACAO, who rode three winners at the opening day of the Annual Race meeting at Happy Valley,—Staff Photographer.

Shanghai Tension

NANKING'S "SILENT" DECLARATION OF WAR

Japanese Circle Settlement With "Live" Barbed-Wire

TOKYO, Feb. 26. "WE CANNOT but announce a silent declaration of war against the Shanghai International Settlement, and British and French vessels which are nothing but an extension of the Settlement in assisting the Chiang Kai-shek regime with the Yangtse as a base," declares a statement issued by the Japanese-sponsored Nanking Government, according to the "Domei News Agency."

JAPANESE TERRIFIC AIR LOSS

OHUNGKING, Feb. 27. REVEALING THE TREMEN- regime." breathlessly to the numbers being Air Force, a spokesman of the in Shanghai are apparently dissatis-Chinese Air Force in an Inter- fled with what they describe as the view with the Central News Council, and the Council's reply to There was a frenzied last-minute disclosed that since the begin- the Japanese requests,—Reuter. Hundreds of people swarmed ber of Japanese planes shot high figure of 1,010 up to the erecting barricades and installing live

This figure, he said, represents a throughout the eighteen months since which communication is now allowthe start of hostilities in July, 1937. With the opening of the current notice .- Reuter. year, the Japanese air force has further suffered the loss of 24 planes, including fifteen heavy bombers of the latest type recently bought from Europe, bringing the grand total to more than 1,030 machines.

Nor was the above figure an ex- attitude in regard to the Japanese aggerated estimate, the spokesman demands on the Shanghal Municipal pointed out. As a matter of fact, the Council, according to a Shanghal renumber tallies with that announced port quoting well-informed circles. \$250. For China Ponies, Subscrip- by the Japanese Air Force head- Details in this connection, howtion Griffins of this Meeting. About quarters on January 20 last them- ever, cannot be ascertained. selves, which stated that 710 military It is learned that the American and naval planes were lost and 300 Consul-General. Mr. Clarence E. more were damaged and rendered Gauss and other officials in the conunfit for service during the period.

221 SHOT DOWN

man revealed that of the total of Japanese hostilities in 1932 and 1937. ference, and that an Independent

The statement announces that the Nunking Government has detailed Circ's NAVYLIGHT, 161 lbs. ... troops and militiamen round the Settlement as a "precautionary Eu Tong-sen's ROSE ELECT 161 measure against further outbreaks of lbs. (C. Encarnacao) 0 terroristle demonstrations."

It adds: "We won't hesitate to brand British and French vessels and the International Settlement as an enemy if Britain and France don't reconsider a change in the atiltude of assisting the Chiang Kai-shek Meanwhile, the Japanese authorities

lukewarm measures of the Municipal

SETTLEMENT BESIEGED

Tientsin, Feb. 26. Japanese troops during the past few days have been hurriedly electric wires round the British and French Concessions here. Exits from the Concessions, through

AMERICAN ATTITUDE FIRM IN SHANGHAL

Chungking, Feb. 27. The American consular authorities in Shanghai are maintaining a firm

sulate have been working overtime day and night to maintain close contact with Washington, reminiscent of Analysing this figure, the spokes- the conditions during the Sino--Central News.

LONDON, Feb. 26: THE EXECUTIVE of the Jewish Agency has decided to reject the British plan for the pacification of Palestine.

The proposals which the British Government will submit to the Palestine conference tomorrow are understood to have been considered at a prolonged. meeting of the Arab delegates last night.

The main feature of the proposals, it is understood, will be the suggestion of a round table conference to be held in the autumn on the lines of the round table conferences which preceded the new constitutions in India and Egypt, and invitations to the conference will be issued by the King on behalf of the Government, not only to political representatives of Palestine and Britain, but also to

constitutional experts.

It is suggested that the British representation also include members of the opposition parties, in order to place the future Palestine policy

above party politics.
It is believed that British Government has expressed the desire to see seif-government established in Palestine, although it has clearly indicated that it does not favour immediate establishment.

Subjects for discussion at the conference would doubtless include not only those on which agreement has been found impossible during the present talks, but also on the question of a treaty with Britain providing safeguards for British interests in Palestine, and for the various

communities. Meanwhile, it is understood that it is proposed to extend the advisory and executive councils to include unofficial members, both Jew and Arab, nominated by the High Commissioner. Unofficial members of the executive council, whose title

LATEST

THE DERBY

L-ROSE FLEST 2.-NAVYLIGHT 3.—EVE OF HARVEST

THE STARTERS Eu Tong-sen's BLUE EXPRESS 161 lbs. (W. G. Poy) 0 Eve's EVE OF HARVEST 158 lbs. (F. Marshall) 0 Marber's LILLIBER, 101 lbs. ... (D. Black) 0

BIG PRIZE 404324 \$240,038.40 68.582.40

34,291.20 The following numbers were drawn for starters and non-starters: 52,521 339,6BG 80,141 354,761 170,765 440.091 -364,184 544.863 377.431 249.157 281,939 479,357 211,506 320,070 434,202 255,265 513,451 403.825 113.883 107,255 202,037 40,682 404,324 316.452 523,764 37.675 07,586 446.782

349,367 Each number, with the exception of those drawing first, second and third ponics, wins \$2,956.10.

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may be altered to the Council of Ministers, may be Ministers without

PREMATURE REJOICING

Jerusalem, Feb. 20. As a result of rumours that the British Government had accepted the Arab demand at the Palcatine con-

ONLY ONE KILT AT SCOTTISH SHOW

THE only kilt at the private view recently of the Scottish Art Exhibition, at the Royal Academy, was in a frame.

The laird had for the occasion changed into morning coat, lavender grey waistcoat, and a pair of spats, said "How d'you do?" and did the social round on the edge of the gilt frames as the English do once a year.

The only Glengarry present was a satin one with a bunch of ospreys in

There was a time-two hundred years ago-when the chieftain was to proud of his tartan he even wrapped his feet in it. The full Highland dress, in a glass

'case, had tight-fitting trousers with tartan socks and soles all in one. of the first kill, rather like a shrunken guerdon of Australian art, has been petticoat, and a pleture of the origin- won by a woman. She is Miss Nora al golfer. It is William St. Clair, of Heysen, daughter of Hons Heyren, one of Australia's greatest landscape Company of Edinburgh Golfers, driving off on the links with a thistle

at his beel. He were black velvet knee defeated some of Australia's leading brecches, a red hunting coat, bows protrait painters. of ribbon above his calf, and his The portrait she submitted was of club hoked like a long-handled hoe- Madame Elink Schuurmann, wife of key stick. His golf ball is numbered for identification purposes.

RUBY GARLANDS

There is the whole history of Scottich dress in the exhibition from the with rubies round the waist and the fruit. blade of the dirk was sharp, to the decadent '80's when the tartan was a dressing-gown and the chieftain wore a white cloth like an icebag round his head,

Nearly all the portraits are of men -- they seem to have possessed all the | Attorneys have discovered an unbeauty and vanity of the period. There is a piece of embroidery acres now occupied by the College of

a Mill-life of grouse and fruit.

Woman Wins Art Prize

For the first time in history the There is a pleture, painted in 1665, Archibald Prize, recognized as the

Mi.s Heysen, who recently returned from London, was not formerly well-known as a portrait painter, but was regarded as an eminent exponent

Years

Dallas, Pa. settled, 138-year-old mortgage on 120 worked by Mary Queen of Scots that Miscricordia here which calls for an is no better than the rest but drew annual pyament of 99 bushels of a bigger crowd; an evening gown that wheat. College officials are seeking Prince Charles once danced with; and to trace the heirs of the mortgagor to obtain clear title to the land,

Compensation for Firms in China

CONSIDERABLE number of questions dealing with

by Japanes; military action?

been presented to the Japanese. Mr. Butler: Certain proposals of make her next two films in England. ches cave in.

Sir C. Capanes Contract Was contract was con-

Frund hold out any hope of an early tion, but I am not able to make a

Mr. Butter: My hon, Friend will ! be aware that claims of this kind are usually settled at the end of hostili-

mate total cost of the damage sus- to be exported from Tsingtao when to now.

Mr. Butler: Their receipt has Mr. Butler: There have been been acknowledged by the Japanese cases in recent months in which the Government.

questions dealing with Japanese has pleaded military necessity as the interference with legitimate British Justification for the action taken.

Prime Minister under what rule of Tokyo. international law the Japanese Gov- The system of export permits has ernment are taking action to prevent recently been extended to Weiliniwei British vessels from using the Pearl and Chefoo, where the situation is years in the force and was appointed River as the natural means of ap- being closely watched. proach to the British concession at

shipping,

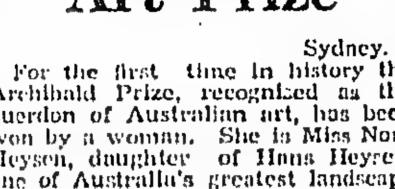
Prime Minister whether he has received any statement from the Japanese Government on the question of the reopening of the Yangisze River, and the inland waterways of desperately at Greenford, Middlesex, recently, to rescue the Yangisze basin to foreign ship-

been received from the Japanese Government on this subject subsequent to their note of 14th Novem-ber, 1938. Further evidence of Ltd. of the Rockware Glass Syndicate, buried in it. Japanese trading on the Yangtszo. was communicated to the Japanese Minister, for Foreign Affairs by His man was reached, he was dead. Majesty's Ambassador in Tokyo on

32, of Wellington-road, Roxeth, Har-14th January last, Commander Marsden: In view of row. the fact that the Japanese are trading on the river and are advertising materials for the night shift work. for passengers and goods for trans-

privileges? Mr. Butler: That is the reason for gigantic funnel, sometimes the narrow Imports

Mr. Alexander: Are we to under- charge frees it with a long pole; some-stand that the Government acquiesce times, however, if he thinks he can different varieties, which took refuge All owners of concrete mixes and



The Archibald Prize is worth about £450. In winning it, Miss Heysen

the Consul-General for the Nether-

early days when kilts were garlended of still-life, especially flowers and

Mortgage Runs 138

the Far East were asked in the House of Commons for England recently, was asked by recently. The question of claims for compensation received from Twatieth Century Films to appear on British firms in China was raised by Sir Charles Cayzer, as fol- the New York stage for one week. lows:--

Sir Charles Cayzer asked the Prime | Minister whether, in view of the re- ditions. Maister the number and the extent solution adopted by the League of claim for compensation received Council, on 20th January, inviting from British firms in China in res- the members of the League to pect of destruction of their property examine the proposals of the Clinese

amounts totalling over £230,000, on Government propose to make any account of destruction, confiscation, response to the request of the

settlement of these claims?

right hon. Friend give the approxi- Japanese authorities to allow goods me better; in fact they're beginning

than give the amount of the claims. of Chinese national currency; and for American applause. But now, if quest. It is a hit early to say yet has been received from the Japanese tended to any other and, if so, what way, I'll get 'em to like me as well that." Government?

the Japanese have made a declara- either on the ground mentioned by tion that they will not pay commy hon. Friend or without assign-heasation for damaged property?. Ing any reason. His Majesty's Con-Mr. Butler: I should not like to sul-General at Tsingtao has made necept such a general statement.

trade interests. Commander Marsden asked the by His Majesty's Ambasador

Shameen? Mr. Butter: The Japanese allege that they are conducting military operations which would be impeded by the movements of third-party

Commander · Marsden asked the

Mr. Butler: No statement has

port, will my right hon. Friend see In the factory vast quantities of sand. He did not stand a chance." are poured into the mixers through a

the evidence submitted by His neck of the funnel checks the flow. Majesty's Ambassador.

Government for certain measures of Mr. Butter: Nearly 300 claims for economic assistance, His Majesty's

Sir C. Cayzer: Can my right hon, mic assistance are under considera-

(detailed statement at present. CHINA AND JAPAN

Mr. R. Morgan asked the Prime half and use the wrong halves," the Minister what action he has taken said. the exports have been 'financed "A few weeks back I felt it was Mr . Butter:-I cannot do more through foreign bankers by means useless to do splits and eartwheels

ports in China? Japanese authorities at Tsingtao Mr. Thorne: Is it not true that have refused to permit exports, frequent representations in the mut-There were also a number of ter to his Japanese colleague, who The matter has also been taken up

When, after an hour's work, the

"NOT A CHANCE"

Usually when this occurs the man in



HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

St. Moritz, famed summer and winter resort of the Swiss Alps, brings many noted persons together from throughout the world. A recent visitor there was Dr. Milan Stoyadinovitch, Premier of Yugo-Slavia, shown as he surveyed the winter activities.

WATER IN LONDON'S A.R.P. TRENCHES

THERE was 5ft. 6ins. of muddy water in A.R.P. trenches on Primrose Hill, N.W., recently forty days after the Home Office circular to local authorities asking country are much happler than those them to make trenches permanent by steel and concrete reconstruction.

Gracie's No To time. The trenches were expected to overflow. 4 Shows A Day Paneras Borough Council, who are responsible for the trenches, said:

Los Angeles, Calif. Gracie Fields, who left Hollywood

And Gracle was willing-on con-

"They are asking me to do four shows daily," she said "but if New York audiences want to see what I can do, I must give 'em my whole bag of tricks and two shows a day will be enough."

Gracle sadded that Mr. Daryl damage or looting, have so far been Chinese Government for ass'stance? Zanuck wanted her to stay in Holly- But local authorities are debating

Hollywood. "I'm afraid if I came here for good, Hollywood might make me half and

Sir Henry Morris-Jones: Can my with reference to the refusal of the "Maybe later they'll get to know

Mr. A. V. Alexander: What reply whether such refusal has been ex- they'll let me do my job in my owr as English folks do."

He Guarded

Inspector Edmund Dear retired recently from his post as Metropolitan police chief at Windsor Castle. to the Duke of Windsor and was one A.R.P. grants. of the few who knew beforehand that the Duke was to broadcast to the

nation after his abdication. Inspector Dear served twenty-six to Windsor Castle in 1934.

CHECKING FLOW

Willows, Cal.

Sucked Under By Tons

Of Sand In A Mixer

a fellow-workman who was buried in 18 tons of sand in

WITH a doctor standing by, a gang of men worked

The flood was rising all the The A.R.P. department of St

"We are at present experimenting with other trenches in Regent's Park. One section there is being concreted. When we have ascertained the cost of concreting and roofing this specimen section, we shall go into the question of costs

for the whole trench system with morning. the Home Office." was to enable local authorities which night before." adopted it to go ahead with the work | It was Joan's first attempt to win without further reference to the a scholarship.

Home Office WATCHMAN GUARDS

tinued, she might agree to work in trenches dug by order of Hampstead Borough Council. A watchman stood beside them.

His job was to stop children failing in-because if they had fallen in they might have drowned in the mud and water. Hampstead Borough Council's

A.R.P. department say: "The council are considering the question in the light of the Home Office re-

Half-finished trenches in St James's Park, near the Admiralty, are railed off from the public walks. Notice boards read: "It is dangerous | to go near these trenches."

The depth of water in them is about 2ft. Westminster City Councll are uncertain about their future. They say: "Some are to | be filled in, some are not." The council, like other authorities. are counting the cost of making trenches permanent. They are He was formerly personal detective afraid of exceeding Home Office

The Home Office circular issued on November 25 informed local nuthorities that they could count on obtaining a twelve-year loan sanction for expenditure involved, including that on preliminary work, and claim A.R.P. grants at the appropriate rate on the annual outlay.

A.R.P. expenditure, including that on trenches, is borne up to 60 per cent, by the Government and up to 40 per cent, by the local authority.

The twelve-year loan sanction was helieved to have been adopted to deal with semi-permanent work.

RADIOLYMPIA THIS YEAR

The drama was at the works to flow. As Martindale landed the all, this year. The scheme for a £50,000 cooperative advertising compaign to replace it was turned down by a Men rushed from all parts of the meeting of radio manufacturers

He was Richard Martindale, aged building and started to dig frantically, syesterday, Officials of the Radio Manufac-"It was only the smallest chance that cost Martindale his life," said one furers' Association explained that the industry was committed to the hire of He was in charge of mixing the of his mates. "By an extraordinary coincidence the sand started to flow Dlympia, so that unless the exhibition as Martindale jumped. It was as were held it would mean a financial

Concrete Mixers Taxed

stand that the Government acquires times, nowever, it he minks he can different varieties, which took refuge in the holding up of British shipping; make it flow more easily he jumps on after being wounded by hunters, automobile licenses, it was announated about it?

That is what Martindale did but a second before his feet touched the British ornithologist, who asked that Pilliod. The licenses cost \$200 and sand, the sand freed itself and started 80 such birds be sent him if possible.

Modern Toys "Too Perfect"

Your children probably play with mechanically-perfect toys, realistic dolls, and teddy-bears. But are they as happy and carefree as you were with less elaborate things to amuse

Miss Ethel Strudwick, headmistress of St. Paul's Girls' School, who describes herself as "a thoroughly old-fashioned woman" thinks not.

Speaking at the Public Health Conference in London recently, she said:

"When I think of an old carpenter's bench in the corner of my father's studio on which was perched a doll's house consisting of a wooden box on end, I wonder whether this newfound passion for giving children baby dolls exactly like the real thing, or teddybears all glorious with plush, is really making them happier than did the old make-believe loys which left so much to the imagination."

THIS REALISTIC AGE

Misa L. H. Crocker, of the Pioneer Health Centre, Peelcham, commenting to the News Chronicle on this state-ment admitted its truth, but added:

"Miss Strudwick's statement is no argument against a realistic doll. When she was a child she probably had some lovely toys herself, but she remembers only those most familiar to her and those she used for her own imaginative purposes.

"We live in an age of skill, so the child of this age must have technically perfect toys or be separated from the reality of his environment, Miss Strudwick, asked to reply to this, observed:

"I had not lovely toys, and did not children of to-day do not live in a simpler age, for their own sakes, poor

"I notice that children who are simply brought up to know the real pleasures of fresh air and the open F1320.

Dances Till 2 a.m. To Pass Exams.

Stanley, Co. Durham. Few people can hope to win one open scholarship at Oxford or Cambridge, but Joan Charlton, 18-yearsold daughter of a Stanley colliery clerk, has just won two-one at each

University. And on the eye of both examinations she danced until two 'in the

"Swotting before examinations is

Turns Into

Cookslown, Australia. Bitten on the foot by a snake, William Howard reached down for a stick with which to kill it, but the "stick" turned out to be another. snake, which bit him on the arm. Prompt medical attention saved



had done es I was told-

> this nasty cold! Give me

wouldn't have



ASPIRIN



CRYSTAL-CLEAR

NEW PARLOPHONE RECORDS.

F1327. Any Broken Hearts To Mend. F.T.

Love's Old Sweet Melody. F.T. miss them. It is a great pity that the F1328. I'm Singing A Song For The Old Folks. F.T. Smile And Sing Your Cares Away. P.T.

THE ORGAN, THE DANCE BAND & ME. F1313. Harlem Swing. F.T. Swamp Fire. Q.S. JOE DANIELS & HIS HOT SHOTS IN DRUMNASTICKS.

You're Lovely Madame. ["Stranded In Paris".) F.T. What Have You Got That Gets Mc. F.T. who live in nurseries crowded with F1321. Two Sleepy People. ("Thanks For The Memory".) F.T. elaborate mechanical toys."

Sixty Seconds Got Together. F.T.

KAY KYSER & HIS ORCHESTRA. F1303. I've Got A Pocketful of Dreams. ("Sing You Simmers".) Q.S. When Mother Nature Sings Her Lullaby. Walts. F1304. Two Sleepy People. ("Thanks For The Memery".) S.F.T.

Summer' End. Q.S. F1305. Marvellous. Tango. My Tango Dream. Tango. VICTOR SILVESTER & HIS BALLROOM ORCHESTRA.

TSANG FOOK PIANO COMPANY. Marina House, 19 Queen's Road C.

Tel. 24648.



AGENTS CANTON

for the

Hongkong Telegraph

WM. FARMER & Victoria Hotel Building. Shameen, Canton.

WHILE three new British films are packing cinemas up and down the country, British studio floors are only 10 per cent, active: Why is this?

Biggest success of the year, seems to be "The Citadel," Woman's Record As which was seen by 130,000 people at the Empire, Leicestersquare, W., in one week.

"Sixty Giorious Years," generally Airlines of Australia. by many halls.

"Pygmation" has broken box-office in Stag Lane. Coventry, Chesterfield and Luton. The largest ball in Sydney, N.S.W., has booked it for a three months

Yet to-day only eight films are being made on the 80 British studio floors, as against the peak figure of 30 ln 1958.

This paradoxical prosperity is 13. striking. The answer is simply one of finance.

CITY IS SHY

cinema showmen, declares bluntly: Finley is in charge, and in which "The City's confidence has been sadly Mrs. Bell has shown her interest by | The Legislative Council recently shaken. Nevertheless, it is adopting consenting to take charge of the decided to take a census of the island the attitude of a man who, having transport section. been caught by a share-pusher, re- Although the section is yet in its 1931 a request for a census was regold mines."

1939 will probably see a change in body. the backing of British films. Instead of financing 'productions costing the United States market, pictures cycle, ride a horse or a bleyele, know costing from £25,000 to £40,000 will anything about mechanics, or would new land settlement plan in the since then daylight, or anything be encouraged. At least 40 films of accept positions as elements or order- Midlands district to relieve un- white, caused agony to his eyes. this grade are already planned by lies. Mr. Michael Balcon at Ealing, Mr. Walter Mycroft at Elstree, and Mr. Edward Black at the Gainsborough studies.

BABIES IN COLD STORAGE!

save the lives of five babies who day of his honeymoon. collapsed during a heat wave at Grimth, N.S.W.

placed in the Griffith Producers' cool could be hiding. stores, where a moderate temperature was specially maintained.

Their parents sat beside the bables from New York. during a week-end. -

Ground Engineer

This audience would keep a West entitle of a ground engineer, heling and to four to finance the subsidy longs to Mrs. G. R. Bell, who recently to wheat growers. There is to be a arrived in Brisbane with her husband, local consumption price of 4s, 8d, a who Is Queensland Traffle Manager of bushel.

"It didn't seem to me particu- | Labour admits that the wheat-· larly clever," said Mrs. Bell, | grower must be helped, but contends when talking of her award, that this should be done out of "My number was 444, which shows that 443 other people had obtained certificates before me," hobby. She has one daughter, aged Education to the New South Wales

A GREAT HELP

With her qualifications, Mrs. Bell should be of great help to the CENSUS TO BE TAKEN aviation section of the Women's De-The "Erg," official mouthpiece of fence Legion, of which Mrs. E. F.

fuses to deal with the Stock Ex- infancy, plans are being formulated, jected by the Council on the ground change. Having bought gold bricks, for training and drill, and Mrs. Bell of economy. it will not admit the existence of hopes to provide her volunteers with MAURITIUS facilities for driving heavy vehicles, without itos convoy driving, and driving as a

Women of any age from 17-50 are acceptable as volunteers, if they can £100,000 on the doubtful gamble of drive a car, a motor boat, or a motor

Indian Bride Runs Away

New York. tish-born New York opera star, bearing fruit. The Government is Unusual measures were taken to should have been spending the first daily transporting men in special

sweetheart, an exotic Indian under-On the advice of doctors they were graduette. Bonnie Bee Berryhill,

While he was making final plans marriage. I have run away."

BEERA

NEWS

AUSTRALIA

FLOUR EXCISE TAX OPPOSED

SYDNEY.

A strong agitation has developed THE honour of being the only in Socialist circles against the Gov-

Wheat used in Australia only "Sixty Glorious Years," generally When Squadron-Leader Bell was around to about one-third of the strength of the squadron-Leader Bell was amounts to about one-third of the squadron officer with the R.A.A.F., booked solid for four and five weeks booked solid for four and five weeks to the Harden of the squadron-Leader Bell was amounts to about one-third of the squadron-Leader Bell was amounte ficate with the de Haviland Company tax to the bread consumer by increasing the price by Is, a 2lb, loaf,

> I general taxallon revenue. Physical Education Chief .-- Mr. Gordon Young, until recently Direc-Born in Tasmania, Mrs. Bell has for of Physical Education at the spent a lot of time abroad, and next Y.M.C.A. in London, has arrived to to acroplanes, riding is her chief become the first Director of Physical

> > JAMAICA

Government.

NEXT YEAR

next year at a cost of £25,000. In

LAND SETTLEMENT FOR UNEMPLOYED

Port Louis. The Government recently began a employment in the sugar cane plantations in the northern and western parts of the island. The drought this year has caused heavy destruction of cane.

The unemployed began a march on the capital, asking for a dole or work, but were stopped by the police.

The co-operation between the new Recently, Arthur Ochiltree, Scot- Labour Department and planters is trains from the workless districts to Instead, he is wondering where his the less affected areas where work is still available.

tree: "I can't go through with the

for the marriage, his flancee fled Mr. Ochiltree said: "She is an adorable, spoiled brat and a head-A telegram to friends told Ochil- strong kid, but I still love her."



High enthusiasm greeted French Premier Edouard Daladier as he arrived in Bizerta, Tunisia, to inspect France's Mareth line of fortifications between French North Africa and Italian Libya. Here he is welcomed by Tunisian children.

For 80 Years He

COMBE HAY (near Bath, Somerset). A FTER living in terror of daylight for eighty years, Mr. George Edward Smart, Lord of the Manor of Combe Hay, was carried by villagers to Combe Hay church just after dusk recently to lie in his coffin before the altar in the darkness he loved.

When he was nine years old, his eyes were injured while he was at play with a school trund. Ever

Life was unbearable unless he turned day into night, right into day. He died at the age of eighty-nine.

One of the staff of the Manor House of Combe Hay told me to-

room closely shuttered against the daylight. As soon as it was dark he would get up. He generally listened to the radio until midnight.

"Then he would have his lunch and go out for a drive in his car before returning for his tea. Just

Hay Manor, where there is a lake, and improbable or ingenious incidents Mr. Smart built an Italian garden calculated to evoke mirth rather than and a grotto of shells which were imagination. sent from all over the world.

shows only at night, long after they the exhibition of the film. had closed for the day.

tents and other exhibits with a

anything printed on white paper. Though the villagers of Combe Hay hardly ever saw their lord of the manor, he was immensely popular night.

To Be Banned

A Paris Court recently rejected two applications for a ban on the film "Suez" pending legal action. The film is based on a romance woven "Mr. Smart slept all day with his round the building of the Suez Canal,

The application was made by M. Paul de Lesceps, a son of Ferdinand de Lesseps, the builder of the canal and the Marquess de Casa Fuerte, a grandrephew of Empress Eugenie, who is represented in the film by Loretta Young.

Giving the court's decision, Judge before dawn he would go back to Maillefaud declared: "This film; which has no claim to literary, artistic In the beautiful gardens of Combe or historic merits, contains blunders

"It contains no nassage likely to The lake, the grotto and the gar- sully the memory of Eugenie de den he saw only by moonlight. One Montijo and Ferdinand de Lesseps in of his greatest interests was agricul- the mind of the audience. There is, ture, but he could visit agricultural therefore, no reason for preventing

· "Though foreign, the film very op-He used to go round the cattle portunely recalls that the creation of ents and other exhibits with a the Sucz Canal was a French work."

His servants had to read to him with them for his generosity. Years

"Private Room On Wheels For Basil And Betty" CANBERRA,

'A profound change in the relation of the sexes had been brought about by the intention of the automobile, said Professor G. V. Portus, of Adelaide University, to the history section of the Science Congress. Basil could now meet Betty in a private room on wheels, and nobody could say may, he added.

NEW complaints of "snobbery" by private lives of royalty, he described members of Hastings Downs Golf as "snob history."

last meeting, quoted from the letter, extent. which was written by an artisan member:

standing as us. "As for the matches they (the full

Snob Insult'

Professor Portus also said: "If you ask a boy to-day who kissed Hardy, he probably will answer Laurel." After strongly criticising the old method of teaching history, with its emphasis on the doings of royalty and on wars, he said things were better now.

The old form of history, about the

Club towards artisan members were "When the former Kalser, now made at Hastings Town Council cutting trees at Doorn, was saying 20 meeting recently.

The Council was again considering the proposal to grant £100 a year to the club. The proposal was carried the club. The proposal was carried Hanover of 400 years ago," said Pro-

Councillor Riddle, who made the added that economics now charges of snobbery at the council's dominated history to a considerable

The head of the civic administration section of the Department of the "The other day some of our chaps were playing when four so-called gentlemen cut in. Just as an artisan was taking his shot one of the gentlemen waid: 'We are allowed to play with a knowledge of Australian with a knowledge of Australian was taking his shot one of the gentlemen with other divisions of the world.

"ONLY ARTISANS"

"The artisan said: "We are sorry, but you have cut in, and so lose your refused, saying 'You are only artisan members; you are not of the same standing as us."

Dackground in Australia compared with other divisions of the world.

With a knowledge of Australian history and its storied enterprise, and substituting Australia for England, Browning's question could be repeated: "Here and here did Australia help me: How can I help Australia?—say," and in purposeful action find the satisfactory are not of the same standing as us."

"As for the matches they (the full members) claim to have played with us, we have had one since the club has been formed. We don't approach them for a game because of Rule 16, which states that no artisan member is permitted to play with a member of the parent club except by invitation of the latter.

"On beinlf of the artisans, whom I am sure are with me, I thank you at the club."

for showing the public what snobs needs to the golf club are."

Councillor Goldman said: "As one of the snobs referred to in that letter which Councillor Riddle, by means best known to himself, has had sent to himself, I protest on behalf of 200 members at his insuft which Councillor Riddle has so foolishly flung at the club."

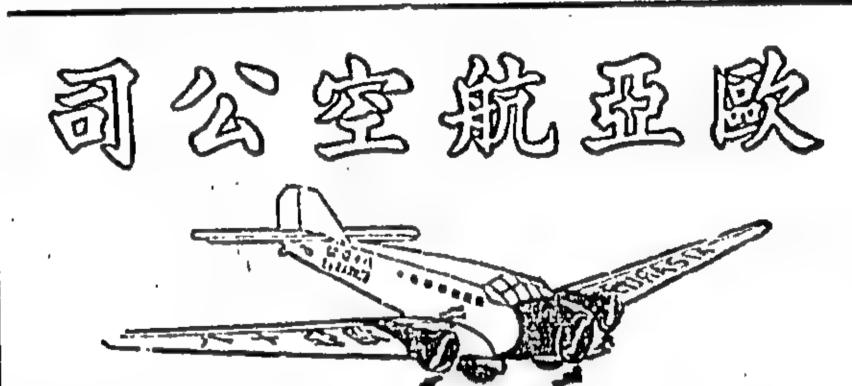


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United Paracale ... The following is Swan, Culbertson & Fritz' report on this morning's market:

The Manila Market was dull with the majority of prices unchanged. However, Atok showed a loss of 11/2 centavos while Mambulao Consol!dated lost 1 centavo. Other changes were on the up side, ranging from 14 to 2 centavos. Saturday's volume of business done was 172000 Pesos.

CITIZENSHIP SOUGHT

Fort Bragg, Cal. her naturalization papers at the age | years, enjoys the best personal relaof 82. She was born in Finland in tions with German official circles, and | had also been arrested as "an enemy 1856 and had been in this country it is assumed that he will work for for 50 years. She wants to cast her a German-American agreement.ballot as an American citizen.

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The Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from Satur- dustry. day, 4th March, 1939 to Saturday, 11th March, 1939 (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer | ed through Hongkong on Saturday of shares can be registered.

KAN TONG PO. Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 17th February, 1939. **Prince**

Way The Crown Prince of Iran, Mohamed Resa, now on his way to by but firmly disbelieved in such Cairo to sign the marriage contract for his alliance with the Egyptian Princess Fawzia, arrived here to-day. The Prince was met at the Iraqi frontier by Prince Abdul Hab, and

the deputy Prime Minister. At the Baghdad railway station, the Prince was welcomed by Prince Zeld, representing the King, and was accompanied by members of the

Iraqi Cabinet. In the evening, King Ghazi gave a banquet in the toyal palace in honour

of the guest. Signature of the marriage will be Prince and Princess will go to Teheran where the festivities will be held from April 21 to April 24.-Trans-Ocean.

CHINESE PAINTINGS St. John's Cathedral Hall Exhibition Opened

An exhibition of art by eight Chinese painters was opened at St. John's Cathedral Hall on Saturday, Works were shown by Leung Yik-yu, Woo Kim-um, Wong Ting-ping, Au Sluylm, Cheung Sun-cho, Cheung Siusek, Che Hel and Chiu Shiu-ngong.

Joint pictures by Mr. Wong and Mr. Leung, and Mr. Wong and Mr. Woo were included; the two artists. have combined in several attractive studies of birds and animals in natural settings.

Mr. Woo's individual pictures stood out by reason of his -characteristic lofty perspectives and neat detail. Mr. Au showed special aptitude in through the water.

The most striking exhibits, how- and friendship towards us at every ever, were by Mr. Cheung Slu-sek, turn. who had given his imagination rein! Miss Hanger had the satisfaction of length pictures of old time Chinese land.

country people. The exhibition closes at 7 p.m. to-

STOCK MARKET REPORT.

The Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued at 12.00 noon, February 25, says: There was more interest shown the market during the short session but shares were difficult to obtain.

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Y'S MEN'S CLUB To Meet World Touring

Ambassador the China Building at 7.30 p.m. to-

Mr. Stermer is serving as Ambassador for the International Y's Men's Clubs and is visiting all Clubs in the course of a world tour, Dr. Ll Shi-pui asks members make their reservations with Dr. F. I. Tseung, Tel. No. 24196.

U.S. DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENT

Berlin, Feb. 20. Political circles welcome the appointment of Mr. Raymond Geist, conveying incorrect weather infirst secretary at the American Embassy, to the post of Charge d'Affaires, replacing the late Mr. Prentiss

It is emphasised that Mr. Geist. Mrs. Kaisa Gerberg has taken out who has been in Berlin for eight that Vosnissensky's chief, Grigoriev,

JAPANESE WOMEN WANT VOTE Mexican Govt.

Australian Teachers **Told Of Struggle**

Monday,

The woman's point of view on "cabbages and kings" was well aired at a recent round-table chat in Tokyo when a party of educated Japanese women entertained five Australian teachers who were in Japan as the guests of the Board of Tourist In-

The Australian teachers, who passon their way home by the Kamo By Order of the Board of Directors, Maru, heard with particular interest the story of the struggle which Japanese women are making for suffrage. In the vehemence of their claim the Japanese women exhibited much of the spirit of the British suffragettes.

> They were consequently surprised to learn that the Australian woman regards the vote very much us a matter of course; in fact, as rather a bother than a blessing. They polite-

.The teachers-Misses E. Hanger, H. M. Stay, E. M. Luke, I. C. Ryan, and A. M. Pittman-reported that they had been lavishly, almost exhaustingly, entertained and that their tour had been thoroughly delightful. "We seem to have been a success," Miss Pittman commented, "for they are talking of inviting 10 Australian teachers next year."

Highlights of Tour

In a tour that was a crowded series made on March 16, and the Crown of experiences the highlights were, perhaps, both associated with the radio. One of these was the occasion of a gathering of 3,000 teachers in Tokyo at which Miss Stay, taking her first turn in the long round of speech-making, delivered on address Grand Duchess Kenia of Russia, are that was broadcast throughout Japan. The feature of this occasion was the performance of the eeremonial in Hampton Court Palace .- Trans-Bugaku, or musical play, played out- Ocean. side the Court for the special benefit of the Australian visitors. At the conclusion of the function a great choir sang, very beautifully, the "Kimigayo," or Japanese National Anthem, and followed it with "God Save The King."

Misses Hanger and Ryan were the well-equipped schools, where the Press. children's progress is so enrefully watched. Everything is done to his studies of fish, delicately seen make them familiar with homecraft. We have found the greatest goodwill

in two allegorical subjects and had learning that every word was heard also produced some excellent full by her people in Gymple Queens-

Cheered By Children

The teacher is supposed to be an ogre to children, but the Japanese children gave the Australian visitors n friendly and often effusive welcome. Children waving flags met them at schools and at railway stopping places; the flags were normally Australian and Japanese, but there was one amusing slip-up when the children turned out flourishing only American and Japanese flags. This. however, could be understood as there is a regular interchange of goodwill missions between Japan and America. One gathering of children lightning and destroyed during - and on a Sunday afternoon, toonumbered 2,000.

found the people to be under the Stanmore in Middlesex, and the apparently honest impression that other in Essex .- Trans-Ocean. they were bringing peace to China. Only in one case did they hear another view; that was when a man said to them: "You see how crowded we are here. That is why we are invading China."

Russia

Trial Of Radio Operator

Moscow, Feb. 26. Five hundred Polar filers, workers, and journalists sat in the crowded court room to hear the opening of chief wireless operator t Tikhaya Buy in the Arctic regions, who is necused of malicious counter-revolutionary activity, including sabotage Club will meet Mr. Paul Stermer, Arctic aviator, Levanevsky, who, Past President of the Honolulu Y's with a crew of five, perished while

August, 1937. It is alleged against Vosnissensky that he hampered the search by delaying messages and shutting off his

wireless set. The accused, giving evidence, pleaded in barely audible tones: " wasn't able to stand the conditionsthe long hours and the monotonyany longer and became physically

He admitted that he was so tired that he shut off his wireless, did not transmit any important messages from Levanevsky during the flight and sabotaged the rescue work by

formation. When the Moscow nuthorities grew suspicious and radioed notice of his dismissal he suppressed the order. He continued his sabotage activities. The Public Prosecutor revealed in charge of the colony's 27 persons, of the people" for having failed to chung. supervise Vosnissensky's work and report his sabotage.—Reuter.

Oil Concerns' New Offer To

Washington, Feb. 26. A new formula for the settlement of the dispute arising from Mexico's expropriation of foreign oil properties is expected to be submitted by representatives of the oll companies to the Mexican Government this

A telegram from Mexico City to the "New York Times" states that the companies will offer \$150,000,000 in cash, or credits for the right to

Sultable guarantees regarding taxation and labour conditions will be embodied in an internatonal treaty, and at the end of 50 years, the properties will revert to the Mexican Government.

According to a message from Mexico City, Senor Castillo Najera, Mexican Ambassador to Washington, upon arrival at Mexico City to-day reiterated that on general principle, "the return of the expropriated oil properties is out of the question." He referred to the forthcoming of Messrs, Richberg and Hurley representing the Standard-Vacuum Company, and the Sinclair Consolidated Corporation, who are reported to be bringing proposals connected with the oil controversy to submit to President Cardenas. Senor Najera expressed the opinion that the matter was between Mexico and private interests, and was in no sense an international issue,-Reuter.

Czar's Niece: Sudden Illness

London, Feb. 26. Princess Andrew, niece of the last l

seriously ill to-day. at the sick bed.

The family occupy a suite of rooms

British Planes For Kunming

Kunming, Fcb. 26.

Japanese Raid Two Cities

Linhslen, Kwangtung, Feb. 26. Walchow, East River town in Kwangtung, was attacked by a Japanese plane this afternoon, Four bembs were dropped. Suwen on the Luichow Feninsula, was also raided. Eight bombs were released, landing in a hospital. No casualties were caused.—Central

London, Feb. 26. Two balloons were struck by balloon barrage manocuvre in England on Sunday. One balloon of a With regard to the war the teachers | barrage of six cashed in flames at

M.C.L. FLAG DAY

by the Ministering League and Mini- N.Y.K. liner Tatsuta Maru on March tering Children's League was held on 30 .- Domet. Saturday, depots being established at the Cheero Club, Hongkong, and the Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon.

On Friday night Mrs. T. H. King broadcast an appeal to the Public to support the Flag Day, the proceeds of which will be devoted to worthy

The total amount collected on Saturday will not be known till to-

the trial of Mikhail Vosnissensky, NORMA SHEARER ILL

Hollywood, Feb. 26. The film star Norma Shearer is suffering from a throat infection and Members of the local Y's Men's of the search for the famed Soviet is very ill, necording to the doctor. Her condition is stated to be not alarming at present, although her Men's Club, at a special meeting in flying from Moscow to America in temperature rose to 105 degrees last night.—Reuter.

TRAFFIC CENSUS

London, Feb. 25. A three days detailed census of at present proceeding and as produced by this traffic test will probably result in further improvements be called to continue the expansion and developments of the tube system. of London .- British Wireless. -British Wireless.

CHURCH MUSIC

The hall of the Hop Yat Church was again filled to capacity on Saturday evening, when the second recital of modern Chinese choral compositions given by the Church's choir, under the direction of Mr. Fung Hin-

The proceeds were for the relief of refugees.

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Mr. V. Benwell And Miss K. Winch

Two popular hockey players were united at St. Andrew's Church on Saturday afternoon, when Miss Kathleen Winch became the bride of Mr. Vincent M. Benwell.

THE BRIDE who is he daughter of Mr. S. S. Winch, chargeman of the Civil Establishments, Naval Yard, and Mrs. Winch, of 180a operate the expropriated wells for Nathan Road, is a member of the younger social set, and has made a name for herself in the annual Pantonimes of the Y.M.C.A.

She was given away in marriage by her father, and chose for her wedding dress, a creation of white French figured taffeta, with a veil of net and embroidered satin. The dress was made by Messrs, Lane Crawford Ltd. She carried a bouquet of white roses. The Misses Brenda Rowell and Joyce Shirley neted as bridesmaids in dainty frocks of shell pink taffeta. In place of the conventional bouquels

they carried novel pink camelia | handbaga, The bridegroom, who is a Sanitary Inspector, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Benwell of Warwickshire, England. He is a member of the Y.M.C.A. Hockey Club and H.K. Hockey Club, being the goal-keeper

for the hockey teams.

Mr. Robert A. Bates undertook the duties of best man. The Rev. J. R. Higgs, Vicar of St. Andrew's, officiated and Mr. Rupert Baldwin was at the organ. The reception was held at the China Light and Power Recreation

Club, King's Park. The bride's mother was present in a smart ensemble in mustard and brown, with accessories to match. When Mrs. Benwell left for the Czar of Russia, was suddenly taken | honeymoon, which is being spent at Repulse Bay, she wore a charming Prince Andrew and his mother, the model in turquoise blue with accessories to match.

JAPANESE TERRIFIC AIR LOSS

(Continued from Page 1.)

1,010 machines lost to the Japanese, 221 were shot down by the Chinese air force in midair, 179 were destroyed by the Chinese air force on the ground, B3 were shot down by stars in the other radio event, when It is reliably stated that Imperial Chinese anti-aircraft guns during they broadcast on short wave to Airways planes will begin flying from raids, 107 were destroyed by Chinese Australia, "We will bring back to Rangoon to Kunming on March 20, land troops, 110 were destroyed by Australia with us the memory of a while passenger and mail planes of Chinese artillery, 19 were forced most charming people and a beauti- the Sino-American China National down behind Chinese lines, 27 were ful country," said Miss Ryan, "We Aviation Corporation will fly directly damaged, forced down and reported have been deeply impressed with the from Chungking to Rangoon.—United still missing, and 363 were lost in

mishaps and accidents. The spokesman said that the number of accidents estimated, namely 363, is an under-, rather than an over-estimation.—Central News.

PALESTINE PLAN: JEW DELEGATION

(Continued from Page 1.)

Arab State would be set up in Palestine, several hundreds of young Arabs entered Haifa to-day to hold public demonstrations to express their joy.

Dancing and singing, they marched through the town shouting "Palestine for the Arabs! Long Live Haj Amin!" (Haj Amin is the Muftl). Almost at the same time, a British steamer arrived at Jaffa bringing a

large number of British police to reinforce those of the mandated authorities in Palestine. -- Trans-

NOTED JAPANESE STATESMAN DIES

(Continued from Page 1.)

will be carried home by Mrs. Saito and other members of the bereaved A successful Flag Day, organised family from San Francisco abourd the

AMERICA'S CONDOLENCES Tokyo; Feb. 27.

Mr. Joseph C. Grew, the American Ambassador to Japan, called on Mr. Renzo Sawada, the Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, at the Foreign Office at noon to-day and expressed sympathy for the death in Washington of Mr. Hiroshi Snito,-Domei.

LONDON EXPANSION Planned Decentralisation Of Industry Urged

London, Feb. 25. A strong plea to the Government to adopt a policy of planned decentralisation of industry was made by Lord Lytton when addressing the 40th annual meeting of the Garden Cities and Town Planning Associa-

The Association has urged this course on social grounding in the past but vulnerability in time of war said Lord Lytton had given new traffic on the London underground is urgency to the demand. In factory trades alone London had nearly one similar occasions in the past figures quarter of the workers of England and Wales and he hoped a halt would

KOWLOON ROBBERIES

Miss F. A. Dobson, of Prince Edward Road, reports that some one broke into her residence and stole money and other articles to the total value of \$75. While watching a football match at Caroline Hill yesterday, L. Botam,

of Inffe Road, reports that he had his pocket watch stolen. Mr. A. Pratt, of Arlington Hotel. reports the loss of a fountain pen and money to the value of \$150.

OFFICE.

RACE HOLIDAYS

The Money Order Office will be open to the Public from 10 a.m. to the fee for a Certificate of Posting Noon, during the Races, on February for an ordinary letter will be 2 cents. 27 and 28, and March 1, 1939.

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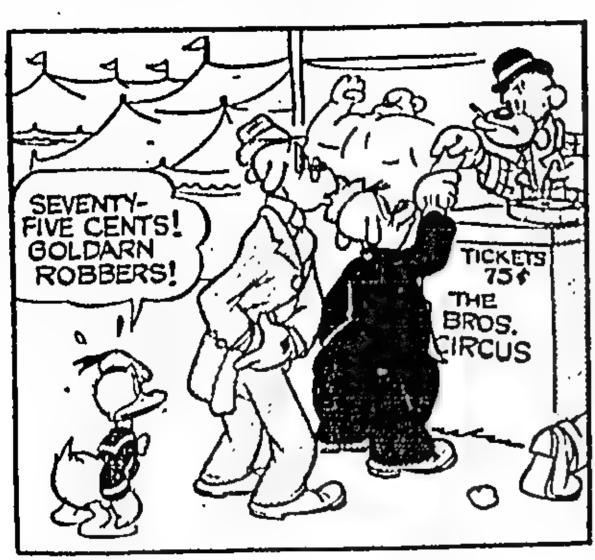
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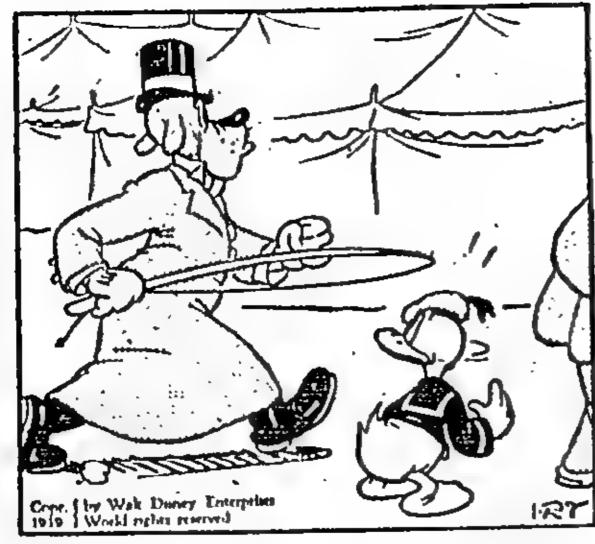
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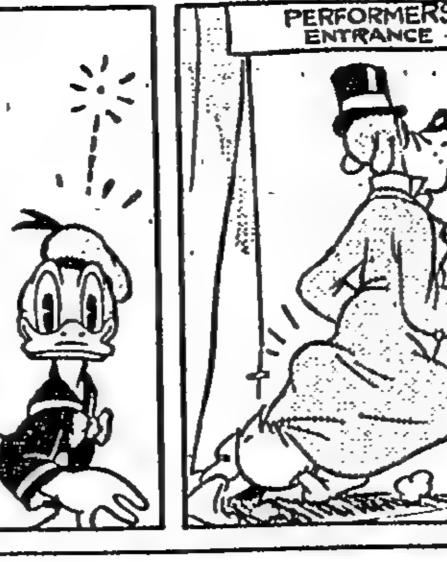
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CHINESE GUERILLAS MAKE IMPORTANT ADVANCES

ICHANG, Feb. 27. BITTER FIGHTING which started afresh several days ago on the eastern section of the Hankow-Ichang highway at Takwanmino and Waminotsi was continued unabated throughout the last week-end, with strong Chinese reinforcements steadily pushing up from the rear.

AUDACIOUS

LEAFLET

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Warning In H.K.

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military forces during the Sino-

"TO ALL FOREIGNERS

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in unticipation of your being en-

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ly attempted to prove.-Reuter.

Lushan area.

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umed trial to-day.

After a momentary recapture by Chinese guerillas, Wamiaotsi was again lost to the Japanese who are now checked from further westward advance by regular Chinese forces.

Along the Kingshan-Chungslang highway, which runs to the north and paralleling the Hankow-lehing highway, 200 Japanese forces with field guns are making a concerted drive westward on the Chinese positions at Shihlipu. Fighting is raging to the south-east of Shihlipu.

Another column of Japanese forces, flanking the Chinese left wing at nishing and audacious leaslet yet Sunkiao, has been repulsed with con- distributed by the Japanese siderable loss.

highway, the Chinese right wing is Japanese conflict was that which effectively holding out against the army planes dropped on Kuling invaders in the vicinity of Yokow, on January 19, three days after which the Japanese entered last the Japanese had bombed the week. The enemy force at Yokow mountain with high explosives, Hankow and for the present are The document, printed in ment on Tsienkinng, ten miles west of for its grammatical construction, have been erceted at all street in- dead, Yokod, on the Han River.

Several attempts made by the in- and its "terms". vaders to cross the Siang River to In it, the Japanese alleged that the Alarms of the approach of Chinese days, the south bank were fraustrated by army and navy authorities, in con- guerillas are broadcast over the radio. the Chinese defenders, who hold junction with third Powers, had Japanese and Korcan merchants until further instructions. stubbornly on their riparian positions agreed that henceforth foreigners in have been organised into volunteer Central Neure. sympathisers of the Chiang Kai-shek

CHIHSIEN RETAKEN

Chengehow, Feb. 27. Chinese guerillas in eastern Honon offensive against Kuling. have re-captured Chihsien, small town ten miles south of Lanfeng, during the last week-end, according Hongkong from a Kuling resident: guerillas. to a military despatch received yes-

The guerillas attacked Chihsien in] a series of raids, completely wiping out the feeble Japanese garrison of about 50 men, and re-entered the town without a single loss .- Central News.

SOUTH SHANSI BATTLE

IMMINENT

Tungkwan, Feb. 27. A big buttle is expected to break out soon in south Shansi as more than 4,000 Japanese troops from Anyl, Yungeheng and the vicinity are driving south-eastward in the direction of Yuanku, strategic town on the Shansi-Honan border.

Japanese vanguards, according to a report reaching, here, have already clushed with Chinese defenders at Henglinghwan near Yuanku.-Central News.

JAPANESE ATTACKED IN NORTHERN HONAN

Loyang, Feb. 27. More than 300 Japanese troops with several artiflery pieces were waylaid by Chinese forces at a village about seven miles east of Po Ai, terminus of the Taokow-Chinghua Railway in northern Honan, last Friday.

Japanese were thrown into great; later, confusion and suffered considerable losses during the fighting.—Central News.

Japanese Lodge Second Protest

Shanghai, Feb. 27. It was understood that the Municipal Council's reply to the first Japanese' protest which was handed to Consul-General Miura by Chairman C. S. Franklin of the Council on Saturday failing to satisfy them. the Japanese military, navat and other emergency conference aboard ed the defending counsel, M. Kom- Chinese anti-aircraft guns, have decided to lodge a second protest with the Municipal Council.

It is pointed out that the Japanese authorities were still maintaining the attitude of co-operation with the In motive for the defendant's alleged Municipal Council in principle. the event, however, the latter definitely falls to show "good faith" in Polar witnesses did not justify". dealing with the present situation, There in court were chiefly Polar they are prepared to proceed with specialists and workers who listened "effective and adequate" measures in shence for the prosecutor's demand by taking an "Independent and for a harsh penalty.

positive" attitude." General, and other military, naval and which the prosecutor had illegitimate- Fleet in the battleship Nelson.— proclaimed Heir to-day. — Trans- some soldiers wounded.—United relations between the two countries. consular officials.-Domei.

Collide: One Killed

Budapest, Feb. 26. PLAYING in a football match between two railway sports clubs to-day, 32-yearold Johann Schaj collided with another player, and was killed outright.-Trans-

Japanese Anti-Guerilla Precautions

Chinese Strategy Succeeds

by the Japanese to ferestall Chinese guerilla activities in Suiyuan.

tersections. no signs of yielding.- Kuling had forefeited their nation- corps to strengthen the garrison ality; that they were regarded as force,

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Villages which might provide cover chantress. for the guerillas have been burned

"Despite the warning during the campaign for the attack of Lushan that the army has requested you often to come down the mountain in Sulyuan, but both have ended in manueuvres.

complete failure.—Central News. CHINESE STRATEGY WINS

Chungking, Feb. 26. and the third Power authorities on of destruction of all establishments of wounds and sickness. from your respective nationality in any town menaced by the Japan- more striking feature in the develop- Deen. A Front Ho. Would a-Wooling Corner (Michael Standing interviews Education of the Colons of ours. The Colons of ours. The Deen. A Front Ho. Would a-Wooling Corner (Michael Standing interviews Education of the Colons of ours. The Colons of ours. The Deen. A Front Ho. Would a-Wooling Corner (Michael Standing interviews Education of the Colons of ours. The Colons of ours. The Colons of ours. December 6, 1938, at Kinkiang that of military value and wholesale the Chiang Kai-shek regime, military sources,

The army, will before long, launch | The Japanese who entered Non- The new railway station is now in Vocal Chorus; At Mother's Knee; a complete operative operation county count not find anything nasu and change the foundation of not yet been commenced, the foundation of the remnants around the to eat or drink. Transportation of the been commenced, the foundation of the language and Low (Barnby) —Never Break A Promise....The numary supplies was extremely difdieult as their transport units were
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"Januar 16, 1939. On behalf of rounded by an overwhelming number of hostile troops. Their units Although the leaflet was dated which invaded Nankung, Kihslen innuary 16, it was not showered upon and Chuych suffered heavily from Taken completely by surprise, the the Kuling residents until three days Chinese enveloping attacks .- Central Instead, on the 16th, the Japanese

> Chungking, Feb. 26. Regarding the Tokyo report that Japan is rushing to build new acroplanes, aviation experts here consider that this is due to the urgent

It is officially claimed that 1,000 A crowded court warmly applaud- on the ground, and 83 shot down by interfere with their relations with

modoy, when he made a plea of It is stated that the Japanese are the flagship Idzumo on Sanday, modov, when he make Vosalssensky, anxious to build more planes in order the Russian radio operator, who is to meet possible aerial attacks from charmed with sabotage, at the res- Sheria .- United Press.

Gibraltar, Feb. 26. M 'Kompusiov attributed the ac- in the harbour with the scheduled Sunday's emergency conference cused's breakdown to the severities arrival here to-day of the Mediterabourd the Idzumo, flagship of the of the Artie conditions, resulting in a rancan Fleet, together with 12 ad-Japanese Fleet in China Waters, was shattered morale and temporary in- mirals, including Sir Dudley Pound,

Two Footballers A Look Through The "Telegraph"

50 YEARS AGO

A flower-show will be held at Kowloon on March 14th. The promoters are going the right way to make the affair admission will be free, drinks gratis, drai, and tiffin for nothing. Two silver cups will probably be offered, one for table decorations and one for cut flowers, Jack Hylton and His Orchestra. &c. Entries are limited to Kowloon

following: ASIATIC STATION

U.S.S. Omahu General Order Chinklang, China,

the Commander-in-Chief, Rear Admiral Pantry'); When the Guardsman and J. Byfield (Plano). Ralph Chandler, at Hangkong, China, started Crooning On Parade-Fox-The decensed was buried in the Trot....Jack Hylton's Orchestra on Monday, February 11, 1889. cemetery of Happy Valley, Hongkong, with Vocal Refrain; "Anything Goes"

In Kweisui, provincial capital of of the flagship Marion in extending satisfied with intermittent bombard- English, was remarkable, both Sulyuan province, sandbag barricades military beneurs to the distinguished Mourning will be worn by officers of the squadron for a period of thirty

All orders issued by the late Commander-in-Chief will continue in force

FREDERICK V. MCNAIR Officer Present on Asiatic Station.

water near the Admiralty launch En- Minor, Op. 11.

by the Japanese against Tachingshan, that it had been decided to substitute stronghold of the Chinese guerillas Third Fleet instead of the grand in Cultum but both band anded in

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10 YEARS AGO

riegus Taturi of Anyssinia, rapidly giving evidence of the direction in lish an international wireless station at Addia Ababa.

Feb. 27, 1934.

that Dr. Benes, the Foreign Minister, remaining at Kuling, celebrated feels that-a Non-Aggression Pact with a minor Chinese victory on Journey from Rangoon yesterday Germany will help to offset the em- February 23, when Chinese afternoon and is expected to proceed bryonic Italo-Austro-Hungarian Al- February 23, when Chinese afternoon and is expected to proceed bryonic train-number of the push a wedge waylaid advancing Japanese in- to Chungking this morning. between the Little Entente and which fantry under cover of artillery in worzying Czecho-Slovakia,

the managed they are the trapes.

Town To-night" London Music-Hall

"FOR THE CHILDREN"

second.

Schoolboy Howlers-Comedy Fox- plenty of Money and You. Trot ... Jack Hylton's Orchestra with We have been favoured with the Vocal Refrain; Where Yorkshire And Lancashire Meet (Damerell and Evans)....Kitty Masters (Vocal) assisted by Bert Master. With two pianos: A Melody From The Sky Exhaustive measures are employed on February 13. The British civil, Selection (Cole Porter); Red, White

> 1.0 Time and Weather, 1.03 Reginald Foort at the Organ.

Puszta (Mihaly); The Wind Has Told Me A Story-Tango Havanera (Bruhne); "Snow White And The Seven Dwarfs"-Selection.

1.15 The Ballyhoeligans.

Whispering-Fox-Trot; Favourite Enrico Caruso (Tenor) with appoint a committee to negotiate Favourites-Fox-Trot Medley; I Got Symphony Orchestra; "Nell Gwyn Lence within the labour movement. Rhythm-Fox-Trot.

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather and Announcements. 1.40 Chopin-Concerto No. 1 In

Arthur Rubinstein (Piano) and The London Symphony Orchestra 2.15 Close down.

6.00 "For The Children." Gracie In The Children's Ward.... Gracie Fields assisted by Jack Jack-Terrible losses .- Reuter's correspondion and His Orch.; Radio Hour in

6.32 Sea Shantles. 6.45 London Relay-Music-Hall.

Chinese

Victory At

Kuling

CHUNGKING, Feb. 26.

Including Billy Bennett ('Almost a gentleman') with The BBC Variety Orchestra conducted by Charles Shadwell. Presented by John Shar-

7.45 Len Green at the Plane.

Melodics Of The Month No. 6; Intro: Chasing Shadows; One night of love; I'll never say 'never again' again; We were so young; Paris in the Spring; Fare thee well, Annabelle; Melodies Of The Month No. 2; 12.0-12.20 p.m. Relay of Service (f Intro: My dance; Marie Louise; It's a success, as free launches will be run. Intercession from St. John's Cathe- easy to remember Vienna in Springtime: The Bridal Waltz: A Street in 12,30 Kitty Masters (Vocal) with old Seville; Melodics Of The Month No. R. 4; Intro: Where are You?; often improve amazingly, Keep calling me Sweetheart: With

> 8.0 Time, Weather and Announcements.

8.03 Albert Sandler (Violin).

The Pantom Melody (Albert W. (film The Trail of the Lonesome Ketelbey); Algerian Scene (Albert The Senior Officer Present regrets to Pine') Kitty Masters with Or- W. Ketelbey) with the Composer announce to the officers and crews serve chestra; Everything Stops For Tea- at the Piano; O Sole Mio (Di Capua) ing on the Aziatic Station the death of Fox-Trot (film 'Come out of the ... assisted by J. Samchtini ('Cello)

8.15 London Relay-Books-5. A weekly series of talks by The Right Hon. The Earl of Lytton, 1c.c., G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E.

8.30 A Light Concert. "The Merry Wives Of Windsor" (Nicolai); Act 1-Mistress Ford's Aria....Lottee Lehmann (Soprano) with Orchestra. (Sung in German); Berenice-Minuet (Handel); The Faery Queen-Three Dances (Purcell) -arr. Jacques); (4)-Hornpipe; (b) Nobody's Sweetheart-Fox-Trot; Not Know (Bowles-O'Hara)....

> makers' Dance....Jack Hylton and divided into opposing groups. 9.0 Mozari-Concerto In E Flat would comment on the President's His Orchestra. Major, K. 271.

Walter Gieseking (Piano) and Members of The State Opera House Orchestra, Berlin cond. by Hans

9.30 Lundon Relay-The News. 9.50 Songs by Richard Crooks (Tenor).

Rio Rita (from the film); Only A

Children Old and Young) (arr. Henry Introducing personalities from Hall); Intro: Baa, Baa Black Sheep; every walk of life in Interviews with Sing a Song of Sixpence; An Elephant Lionel Gamlin, flashes from the News Never Forgets; Whipsnade; Cock of the week, and Standing on the

Fox-Trot-Ride, Tenderfoot, Ride The army, win before to the Romanice and Rhythm'); Waltz and Mary'); Please Be Kind Carroll Gibbons and the Savoy Hotel ons danger, Lord a rew days.

If a new days. A Wet Sheet And A Flowing Sea Orpheans with Vocal Chorus; Fox-Whisky Johnny; Sally Brown; Let Vocal Refrain; Waltz-That Night In the Bulgine Run; Blow My Bully Avalon; Colorado Sunset (from the Boys; Billy Boy; Johnny Comes Down film) Hilo Hawalian Orchestra Renard Dance Orchestra.

Chungking To Rangoon Survey Flight

Kunming, Feb. 27.

The survey flight between Chungnterfere with their relations with CHINESE REPORTS from king and Rangoon on February 22 in the indicated that Czecho-Siovakia Nanchang belatedly state that proved most salisfactory, declared

Pilot Tan arrived here on his return

He said that no. severe weather at Kuling, killing 30 of the in- fluctuations occurred during his zir vaders and sending the rest journey, but that it is difficult to predict the weather conditions when the rainy season comes.

The Japanese shelled the Lushan Pilot Tan also revealed that the mountain and then Kuling, after which the Japanese infantry ad- natives as well as the Chinese resivanced, but the advantageously dents in Burma extended warm welway for a formal inauguration of Japanese Fleet in China Waters, Mr. crime was counter-revolutionary in Warspite, and Sir Charles Forbes, The 62-year-old Prince Pahar Bey. The Chinese losses are said to have the China-Burma air service to-

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AMERICAN LABOUR Rival Leaders Summoned To Discuss Differences

Miami, Feb. 25. President Roosevelt has written to Rondeau; (c) Jig....The Jacques Mr. William Green, head of the String Orchestra cond. by Regimald American Federation of Lubour and Jacques; Trusting Eyes (Gariner); Mr. John L. Lewis, leader of the Your Eyes Have Told Me What I Did "Rebel" Committee for Industrial Organisation, summoning them to Dances" (German); 1. Country The President added that Labour Dance; 2. Pastoral Dance; 3. Merry- Inces a challenge in finding itself . Neither Mr. Green nor Mr. Lewis action .- Reuter.

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Captain U.S. Navy, and Senior

25 YEARS AGO Mr. Winston Churchill, First Lord of

During question time in the House conducted by John Barbirolli. Two campaigns have been launched of Commons, Mr. Churchili announced

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on abundance of these institutions, but

Feb. 27, 1929. The week has been one which might to Hilo; Blow the Man Down; Rio with Vocal Refrain; Tangos-Tango terest in itself, Not only have very Grande ... Royal Naval Singers, Espanol; Tango Illusion Robert real, if hardly definable, prospects of Portsmouth, cond. by C. T. Lee. the establishment of a vehicular ferry service been held out, but the long-lost vision of a trunk telephone line between Hongkong and Canton has been revived. which he is going to utilise his recently required powers, has decided to estab-

5 YEARS AGO

The United Press correspondent in Prague anya that the Czecho-Slovakian Government are understood to view the Japanese planes have been destroyed German overtures for a Non-Aggression since the war started, including 221 Pact Invourably, provided that it is shot down in dog-fights, 179 destroyed made perfectly clear that it does not

will not commit herself to the pro-Judice of her relations with France, but

Heir To Throne Of Tunis Dead

The Heir to the Throne of Tunis, placed Chinese defenders ambushed come to him when he reached Ran-Commander-in-Chief of the Mediter- 66-year-old Prince Mahmud Eladel, the invaders.

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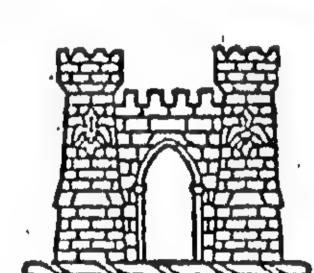
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DEATH

Hospital on February 25th, 1939, turning out to be a numerculi of the not a haberdasher." Halder Ingmar Eriksen, of 287 first water. Prince Edward Road and formerly of the China Maritime Customs, aged 48 years. Funeral will pass the Monument at 5.15 p.m. to-day.

Djongkong Eelegraph.

Wyndham St., Hongkong 'Phone 26615 February 27, 1939

Holy Land Deadlock

The Palestine talks in London appear to have reached an | forecast before they commenced Arabs on which a compromise settlement can be reached are cent, of the value of the necklace down, Waffles," I said, "and I will fa wong here—he make one big step extremely slim.

The cases of Jews and Arabs which the respective delegates solemnly and laboriously repeat are already known to the British Government. The heary facts have already been uncarthed and laid before the Government by half a dozen official commissions up the receiver. to Palestine.

· As bath cases are irreconcilable both sides are manoeuvring for favoured treatment by trying to frighten the Government with the international situation in relation to the strategic importance of Palestine in the event of another crisis.

A crisis is expected next month in the Mediterranean as a sequel to a Franco victory in Spain and Mussolini's demands on France, and the Arab delegation will continue to use the importance of a penceful Pales- smoky smoky shop, and catchee this" objectives.

This is the position at present: | change." The Arabs insist that Jewish must be prohibited, and an Arab religious rights would be guaran-

and that on no account must the be quite sumclent." Jewish community in Palestine

The Jews, however, appear to to the ensemble. hold the biggest end of the stick. Another factor has been introduced within recent monthsthe attitude of the United States.

The German persecution of we were embarked upon.

10 Jews has made a deep Like a hound straining at the leash, the Jews has made a deep impression on America and the Walles was all agog when I described what I knew of Mrs. FitzPillsbury, and he literally quivered with exciteafford to alienate the growing ment when I happened to mention pro-British sympathy of the that she had once been known as the United States by according to At the precincts of no. 964, the the Arab demands in Palestine. Peak, I called Ah Lum ande.

F YOU WERE to throw the Hongkong Bank into the harbour you could scarcely make a bigger splash than the one Mrs. FitzPillsbury made when she dove into Peak Society

I have nothing but admiration for Mrs. FitzPillsbury. Of the buxom type, her disposition was as generous as her figure, and

though;-a very quaint way of expressing herself at times. For instance, "Lor'-luv-n-ducki" was

I will merely ask you to recall, in

the lady's pearl necklace. Singularly enough, the incident was never recorded in the Hongkong

vate detective," I said, "and you?" of 964, the Peak."

loots."

"Ain't you clever! Of course I do, that before? My husbin' isn't half cut up about it.

and where did you lose them?"

agreement between Jews and over the telephone," I told her, but with her permission, we would take the footprints? Did you find any?" it happens to be \$5.00 an hour, or, if a look through the house.

> when it's recovered." Silence for reveral seconds.

\$10,000," she asked, "what then?" content with an official valuation." Was it a snigger I heard?-surely good finger-print on it,

"Better come up and see me." I gave a suitable reply, and hung to turn my attention to a boiled to gather round me, and I produced

Waffles stepped forward. "Yes, boss?" he said. I blanched as I looked at his slop- a door. ing forchead.

"Where's Ah Lum?"

"Ah Lum," I commanded, "bring Then take ten cents petty cash, go tine as a lever to gain their | -I wrote on a piece of paper 'TWO FLOR DE CABBAGIO CIGARS'-

The Jews insist that Jewish take my advice, you will not attempt immigration must be continued you. A little judicious chewing will

Having issued these instructions, The position is a difficult one. gestion from Wasses—a buttonhole certainly would put a finishing touch

. Ten minutes later we were in the Peak Tram and I was explaining to my assistants the nature of the case

MRS. FITZPILLSBURY

"Lor'-luv-a-duck!" Was Her Favourite Expression

SUCKLING

Then, remembering that FitzPills- FitzPillsbury with a tape measure in finger-print it is?"

bury was a keen horticulturist, I add- his hand, and why had she changed bury was a keen horticulturist, I add- his hand, and why had she changed o'Clock ferous-allee same Chinese call mak in the morning?

look very nice my garden." sleuthily departed. Waffles and I approached the house. On the door-step was a stranger.

bowler, "Isn't this ideal weather for a little flutter? What about a few Antamoks to start with? Or I can It was obvious that, if any light He burst into the office with: "I let you have some Peak Trams very were to be thrown on the situation, say, Chieff What do you think! I've

some profit. Of course, if you pre-Waffles, "Let me show the gentle-

"Shut up, you fool!" I hissed in ERIKSEN.—At the Precious Blood rid of my new assistant, who was his ear. "You're a sharebroker— Then the stranger spoke, and he made a most extraordinary remark. "Who let you out?" he asked.

I drew myself up. "I'm afraid I don't quite follow you," I replied, "but, in case you are "It's Mrs. FitzFillsbury speaking, trying to be flippant, let me inform you that we are detectives, and that "I suppose you want your husband anything you say will be taken down, altered, and used in evidence against

The rude fellow laughed. At the word "jools" I recoiled he said, "and I guess you've come take this lounge lizard away," he ap- and she was always a' losing of her about the necklace. Better go inside pealed to me, "before I tread on "pearls." Woolworth pearls they

Now why couldn't he have told us

Mrs. FitzPillsbury was delighted to "It's me ten thousand dollar pearl. No, she had not missed the necknecklace what's gone. I was wearin' lace till she went to bed Yes, the . Walting for us on the road, ilt at St. Andrew's Ball last night and ballroom had been thoroughly search- found Ah Lum. My dejection to accept as payment ten per cent. of impasse, a conclusion that was I don't know whether it's been took ed.... No, she did not suspect any- vanished as I noticed he held a cut- its value." off from me or whether I dropped it. one.... Was she in the habit of lock- ting of one of the finest roots of Big as pigeons' eggs those pearls was ing her bedroom door at night?— enklanthus splendiferous I have ever At present the chances of Mr. -seventy-two of them. 'Ow much Lor'-luv-a-duck, what a question to seen. Malcolm MacDonald being able do you want to get them back for ask a lady! Better enquire from "Ah Lum," I murmured, patting

Mr. Archibald.

start on the ground floor and work on my backside." It was in the pantry that I came across an important clue—a perfectly

good bottle of whisky with a finger-"In that case, madam, I should be print on it. Pardon me, I meant a bottle of whisky with a perfectly I carefully laid the bottle in a des-"I'll pay by results," she said, patch case I had brought with me

labelled SHARES, and was just about . Arrived at the office, I got the staff chicken in the refrigerator, when a the bottle of whisky. most startling thing occurred. The air was rent by a lady's pier- clue-but an important one neverthecing screams, mingled with hysterical less. You will observe that there is

What on earth was happening? the bottle. I want you, Wasses, to "that, this month, you will receive The sound seem to come from one compare the print with our Finger— \$25 less than last month." of the bedrooms, so I dropped the Print Register. It may lead us to His face visibly wilted. chicken and dashed upstairs. Archi- the thief who stole Mrs. FitzPills-

"Don't call me boss!" I snapped, now, young fellow! Don't you get traces of dope, or"—and I lowered Where's Ah Lum?"

fresh with me! I don't mind a bottle my voice—"even of poison!" Ah Lum appeared. Ah Lum was of beer and a bit of fun, but none of They both seemed suitably impress-

What did it all, mean?

sat fa-makee very nice flower; Before I had time to figure the whole thing out, the infurlated hus-"Can do," sald Ah Lum and band, making a bee dive for Walles, "Can do," sald Ah Lum and band, making a bee dive for Walles, had clutched the poor fish by the nape of his neck and catapulted him

half way across the room. We decided to contact him.

We decided to contact him.

We will be good enough to explain why been "waiting for a break" as our "Excuse me, Sir," I said, lifting my were manhandling my wife!"

American friends would say.

cheap. They're always moving, you Walles was the only one to do it, for found out that the pearls were false!" day-so you're sure to make a hand- the last threes of hysteria.

Walles, who was completely winded, "I was shaking the wicked hoof, when "Wait a minute, boss!" cut in was able to blurt: "I was d-d-doing who should I run into but Flossic nothing—only t-t-testing a theory." Footles. You've met Flossie, of

And then, as he grew more com- course?" posed: "The whole thing's a ghastly "I haven't had the pleasure. But mistake. You see, I had an idea the go on!" the dress she was wearing at the think she said?" ball. I was taking a few measure- "I don't know," I replied. "I give ments when you fellows barged in." it up.

"I'm Mr. Archibald FitzPillsbury," the intensity of his fury. "Here, the "Belle of New York" with me,

on her elbow.

"Lor'-luv-a-duck!" she screamed 'abit.' and collapsed once more. Waffles and I faded away.

him on the back, "you, at least, have to find any point of common "I don't as a rule discuss my fee. I thanked her, and intimated that, done your duty. Now, how about "Only this," smiled Ah Lum, showyou prefer to pay by results, ten per "You start at the top and work ing me the seat of his pants, "The

"Never mind, Ah Lum," I consoled him, "In England, people say you net 'Order of the Boot'--belong very

honourable order." "May be very honourable," he replied, "but also very sore!"

"Here," I told them, "is our only a distinct finger-print on the neck of baid rushed past me and flung open bury's pearls. Meanwhile I will empty the contents into a jug for As we entered, Mrs. FitzPillsbury examination in the laboratory. It is

> ed, and I despatched Ah Lum for half a dozen bottles of soda water with

which to carry out my experiments. By the time the soda water was exhausted I had finished half the whisky but could find no trace of any deleterious matter having been added. On the controry, it was exceedingly good whisky, and I had to admit that, whatever other failings he might have, Archibald was no mean judge of the staple product of

Scotland. A further test, with plain water, might perhaps be advisable, and 1 was just going to draw some when Waffles came in.

"Hullo, Wassles old boyl" I said, "can you tell me which is the cold water tap? There seems to be rather a lot of them about to-day. I al-"You look see," I told him, "any Of course Waffles' would be there ways thought we had only one, By but why was he bending over Mrs. the way, have you discovered whose

> "Yes," said Waffles, looking at me rather queerly I thought.

"Then whose is it?" I impatiently

"Yours," he replied.

For five days the Mystery of the "Now, perhaps," he spluttered, "you Pearl Necklace lay unsolved. I had

And then it came—and via Waffles of all people!

know-going up and down every my lady was lying on the bed in I jumped up. "Explain at once!" But it took five minutes before "Last night at the hotel," he began,

neckince might have come undone "Well, she's a bit of a gay spark, and slipped down Mrs. FitzPillsbury's and when I mentioned about Mrs. neck, so I asked her to kindly put on FitzP, losing her pearls, what do you

"I say, Sir," he went on, turning to "She said—and these were her very Archibald, "I think you owe me an words—'Pearls! Pshaw! Pearls inapology—treating me like a blooming deed! Them pearls never saw the inside of an oyster shell, I'll warrant! "Me owe you an apology!" gasped Before she got hitched to Archibald. Archibald, forgetting his grammar in her ladyship was in the chorus of were. Losing joolry is like second Mrs. FitzPillsbury raised herself nature to her, and, from what you tells me, it seems she's still got the

> Now what do you think of that?" I had to admit that, to say the least,

his news was startling. "But if it's true," I said, "then we're in the soup-even if we do recover the necklace-because I agreed

"Not at all!" replied Waffes, "From my short-and none too pleasant-acquaintance with Mrs. FitzPillsbury. I'm certain she isn't the type that would admit to wearing imitation jewellery."

And then he expounded his plan. "In the Gloucester Arcade," he said, "is a shop where, for a modest outlay, you can purchase a string of artificial pearls as good—if not better -than the real stuff. "I suggest we get a neckince made

up, and hand it over to Mrs. FitzP. She's sure not to notice the difference, and then all we have to do is to bung in our bill. It's as simple as falling off a logi"

I considered his suggestion. Yes, it seemed workable. "Waffles," I said, "we will adopt your plan and act immediately. By

the way, I have decided to increase your pay this month by \$25...." Waffles brightened. which means," I continued.

"I d-d-don't quite follow," he stammered.

"To use one of your pet similes," I

replied, "it's as easy as falling off a log. Let me explain. "This morning, in view of your disgraceful exhibition of parlour tricks up the Peak, I made up my mind to cut your salary by \$50. Now, influenced by the fact that the mechanism in your cranium at last shows signs of ticking over, I have decided to give you an increase of \$25. The net result will therefore

be --- exactly \$25 less than last month." I left him to his mental calculations, and sent Ah Lum for a neckless of 72 synthetic pearls "as big us pigrons' eggs."

When it arrived I set out for the

Peak—alone this time.

I rang the bell of no. 964. "Master at home?" "Yes." I entered.

Archibald came forward. He looked none too pleased. "I have much pleasure," I said, "in informing you that I have recovered Mrs. FitzPillsbury's necklace. Perhaps you will have a look at it, and, if it's in order, it will no doubt be a pleasure to you to write me out a cheque for \$1,000."

"\$1,000 be----!" he replied. "What shady game are you up to now? How can you have found my wife's neck-lace when she never lost it?" "Never lost it!" I faltered. "What

do you mean?" "Exactly what I say. My wifefound it in her jewel case this morning. She must have forgotten to put it on before she went to the ball." The horror of the situation alowly

downed on me. "And, if you're not out of the house-in two minutes." said Archibald, "I'll" telephone for the police.".

When you have time, come along and see my enklanthus entendiferous. Just now it's in full blocks.



GEOFFREY

She had one little peculiarity, flower beds have got footprints."

favourite exclamation of hers. .Of her husband—Archibald—I prefer to say nothing.

connection with his transfer to west Africa two years ago, the last line of that famous little rhyme about the Pickwick, the Owl and the Waverley I became acquainted with the

papers, so allow me to give you the details.

On December 24, 1931, I was sit- fer.... time in my office and pondering over two problems—(a) how to get hold of a cutting of enkianthus splendiferous man a nice line in Cottons."

The telephone bell rang: I picked up the receiver. "Yes, I am Mr. Suckling, the pri-

shadowed, madain?" "Lor'-luv-a-duck! No! I've lost me you."

"And you want me to find them for and see my wife,"

and he's carrying on like anyfink." "Please describe the jewels, madam,

"Supposing it ain't worth quite

Now for action! I mobilised the staff. "Waffles McTurbot!-Ah Lum!"

25 25 25

my gardener until I promoted him that!" assistant sleuth. Now he calls himself "the Charlie Chan of Hongkong." two pieces no. 4 disguise chop chop,

"and don't forget to bring back "You Wuffles," I said, "will please immigration must be stopped, try to forget for a while that you are land sales by Arabs to Jews the underpaid assistant of a famous detective and Imagine yourself a respeciable sharebroker. Ah Lum will National Government must be give you the necessary outfit—bowler set up under which the civil and hat, gent's natty blue suit, hornrimmed glasses and spats. You may select a few articles of jewellery if you like, but don't overdo it. If you

be relegated to minority status quickly changed my own dress, and which, it is claimed, would wreck in a few minutes, quite a creditable transformation had taken place in both my own and Waffles' appearance. I agreed for once with a sug-

"Belle of Hoxton."

GRIN AND BEAR IT



"You'll find it's the most economical cur on the murket-outside of the usual par, oil and fender straightening expenses!"

China's Economic Development During War-Time

CHUNGKING, Feb. 26. LATEST EFFORTS of the National Government for economic and communication development are revealed by Dr. H. H. Kung, President of the Executive Yuan, in a report.

Downing

Street

Skirmish

to touch our Empire

These words were spoken

recognition of the Franco

M. Bonnet said that at the

LONDON DEMONSTRATION

waving Spanish flags .-- Reuter.

FTALY SEEKS SUPPORT

FROM POLAND

Count Ciano had a conversation

Reports that Count Clang pressed

for a definition of the Polish attitude

towards Italian claims against France

lend special interest to Colonel

Beck's speech last night, which i

interpreted as a hint that Poland has

. Colonel Beck would doubtless like

extension of Germany's commercial

and political influence in south-east

Ukrainian propaganda.—Reuter.

K.C.C. XI To Play

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kay, T. A. Madar, B. D. Lay, G. E.

Taylor, and G. A. Goodban, Re-

NORMA SHEARER IMPROVING

with Colonel Beck this afternoon.

Warsaw, Feb. 26.

London, Feb. 26.

and France.-Reuter.

Government was necessary

PARIS, Feb. 26.

permit anyone

In the economic field according to Dr. Kung, the National Government is following a policy of extensive exploitation of natural resources and increase of production. Several points of special significance are embodied in this policy:

First, regional economic planning and development is emphasized. As n preliminary step, the Government-has chosen the Teklang and Minklang vaileys in Szechwan as the industrial belt. In this belt are found coal, petroleum and natural gas. Up till now an alcohol distillery, a power plant and a chemical works have been established, while a paper mill and a sugar refinery are under planning.

Secondly, a harmonious co-ordination of state and private enterprises is seught. The Government, on the built with the blood one hand, has taken over communieation and mining enterprises of and labour of Frenchand heavy industries and, on the men. We will maintain other hand, is modifying the Corporation Law, fostering the growth of private industries, and promoting co- ritory intact." operation between the state and private individuals, all with a view to encouraging private investiments. by M. Georges Bonnet in provided through the promotion of a speech at Gourdon to-day, rural co-operatives, agricultural experimental stations and the Farm when he explained that Credit Bureau.

FARM CREDIT BUREAU

After the Sino-Japanese hostilities because France wanted flared up, the Farm Credit Bureau diverted its attention from the Lower neighbourly relations with Yangtze valley to the Southwest. Spain. She wished to re-76 rural credit co-operatives in the establish commercial rela-Southwest to which it has subscribed tions with her, and did not a capital of \$7,000,000. At the same time it had set up 49 granaries with a wish to have a new frontier storage capacity for 100,000,000 piculs to defend. of farm products, invested \$8,700,000 on irrlation projects, which can irrigate 2,300,000 mow of formland and purchased \$1,100,000 worth of raw same time as Franco-German cotton, cotton yarn, cotton cloth and relations were improving, Anglofoodstuffs to meet the needs in the French relations were becoming

In the field of communication de- increasingly close, and the revelopment two major improvements cent speeches of Viscount are noted. In the first place, a Halifax and Mr. Chamberlain Joint Land and Water Transporta- showed the whole world the tion Committee has been inaugurat- complete solidarity of Britain ed to control wartime traffic.

In the second place, the Government had laid out a railway network for the Southwest. Aside from the Yunnan-Burma Railway, the Government is planning to build a The British decision to recognise line linking Kunming and Yipin General Franco, which is expected to (Suchow) near the Yunnan-Sze- be amounced to-morrow, had a to Kweiyong whence it will be con- Trafalgar Square, was addressed by assistance. nected with Liuchow in the heart of Mr. Clement Attlee, Mr. Herbert Kwangsi. In that case, the four Morrison and Miss Ellen Wilkinson, couthwestern provinces of Yunnan, and interrupted by protagonists of Szechwan, Kwelchow and Kwangsl the Popular Front.

will be brought closely together. Negotiations are also underway the Government's policy "with shame with a friendly nation, for the con-land abhorrence."

In air traffic the projected Sino- Mr. Morrison and other leaders took British airline is important. Accord- the resolution to No. 10 Downing ing to present arrangements. Chinese Street by taxi. goon while British passenger and foot, shouting slogans. mail liners may fly from Rangoon! Upon arrival they found the ento Kunming. At Rangoon passen- trance to Downing Street guarded gers and mail will be picked up by by mounted police. Central News.

GUERILLAS MARCH ON SOOCHOW

CHUNGKING, Feb. 27. A STRONG detachment of Chinese guerillas are rapidly no intention of giving tacit support to a policy which might injure the marching on Soochow, scenic interests of her French ally. city known as Venice of China on the Nanking-Shanghai Rail- to obtain a clear statement of Signor way, about 54 miles west of Mussolini's attitude towards the Shanghai.

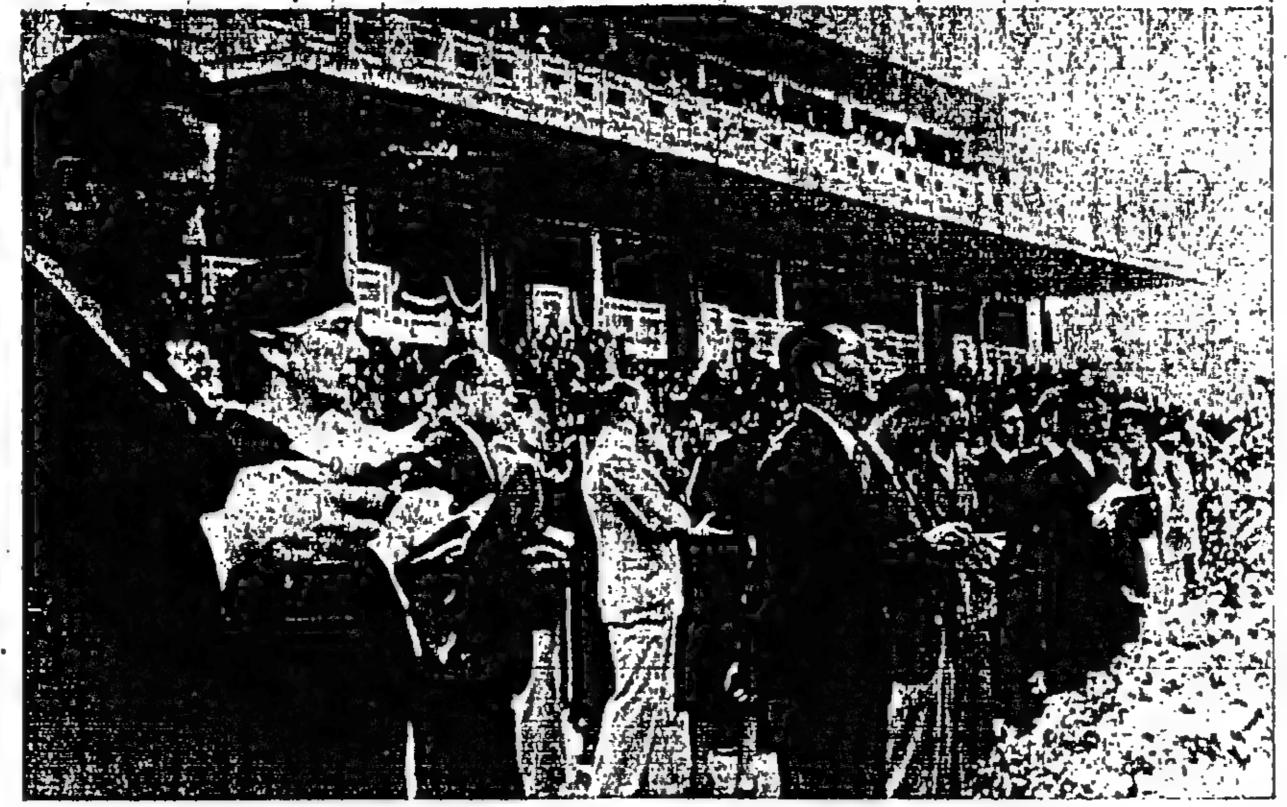
The mobile fighters, according to a Europe, since Poland was disappointreport from Shanghai, commenced ed by the failure of the Italo-German their drive on Soochow during the arbitration to award Ruthenia to Lunar New Year and have recaptured | Hungary, which would have created a village called Likow, less than 10 a Polish-Hungarian frontier. miles from the city. They succeeded Pollsh circles regard the present in inflicting considerable losses on the frontier as a potential source of Japanese and seizing a large quan- trouble, and the centre of anti-Polish tity of arms and ammunition. On February 21 and 22, the National flag was seen flying at Chimen, one of the north city gates of

Soochow. The same flag was also sighted at the different bridges along the Soochow-Shanghal Highway. All these bridges have been damaged by the guerillas in order to impede the K.C.C., against the Volunicers Japanese communication. — Central in a cricket match at the K.C.C.

THOW many of these words are serve:-F. A. Broadbridge. III correct and what is wrong with the others?

atradovarius armourer straight waistcoat armordillo arithmitic pollitesso

Hollywood, Feb. 26. Norma Shearer, who is ill, is re-English Oxford Dictionary spell- ported to be much improved to-day. ings of these words will be found on . Her temperature was down to 100. and she had a better night.—Reuter.



A section of the large crowd at the races.

Gruesome Sight In Shanghai

SHANGHAI, Feb. 27. OOKING ACROSS the L boundary of the Settlement this morning, police saw three Chinese heads, believed to be of two men and one woman, suspended from telephone poles in the Japaneseoccupied area in Western Shanghai.

The discovery followed Chinese reports that Guerillas had raided a village yesterday and executed 20 alleged traitors .- United Press.

NEW CREDITS FOR CHINA

Japanese Newspaper's Revelations

recently arrived in Paris and held the "Punpet" regimes. numerous interviews with "pro-Chi-A resolution was passed viewing Bonnet, and M. Campichi, as well as proposing peace. struction of a railway in the North- The crowd desired to march to with French and Netherlands muni-

Downing Street, but Mr. Attlee and I tions dealers. negotiations with Britain, the Chi- posed Nanking regime was an "ab- writing, profound regret to the nese emissaries gained the promise of solute insult to China and to the British Government, through Amcommercial planes may fly to Ran- The Labour crowd followed on a loan in return for ceding British Chinese nation," and no decent bassador Craigie for the bombing by Concession rights in Tibet, Sikiang Chinese in Chungking would consider mistake, of the British territory in

and Szechwan. According to the paper, Britain insult. will permit new loans to the Kuomin- Fifthly, unconfirmed reports stated posed compensation for the losses British flying boats to Europe .-- There was nothing more serious tang Government in continuation of that Major-General Kita, from the than one small skirmish between the the £300,000 credit loan concluded beginning of the war, was against take all other possible steps for an

police and a group of demonstrators last year, shipment to China.

> report, the French authorities in and is himself a refined speaker of China will permit French exploita- the Chinese language. tion of all parts of south-western! Observers claim that though it China bordering French Indo-China was a success to select this man to in co-operation with Britain and sue for peace, it was a fundamental

munitions to China which were pre- preted San Min Chu I. viously scheduled for Loyalist Spain, United Press.

RIOTING IN **MEXICO** 43 Killed In La Palma Fighting

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 26. FORTY-THREE are reported to have been killed in a clash between Federal troops and band of 100 well-armed marau-

bridge, K. M. Baxter, N. A. E. Mac- State. The death roll comprised three Federal officers, ten soldiers, and thirty marauders, the remaining bandits dispersing in the neighbouring mountains.

An unconfirmed, report says that the Mittel Press Agency at Berne. General Menchoes, chief of tions was also killed.

The movement is stated to be by midnight on March 15. isolated, and was in no way organised. -Reuter.

Chungking Ridicules Peace Plan

"No Chinese Will Be Deceived"

CHUNGKING, Feb. 26. CHUNGKING'S reception of Major-General Kita's new peace plan is marked by sarcasm, ridicule and extreme contempt. Officials, especially those specialis-

ing in Japanese affairs, are ready to comment on the plan regarding the Kuomintang and the Government at Nanking, and their criticisms follow: Firstly, Japan's adaption of Sun Yat-sen's "San Min Cau I" means spiritual Japanese surrender to China. They said that even Baron Hiranuma and General Itagaki had publicly discussed the San Min Chu I question in the Imperial Diet, indicating that the Japanese are considering re-interpretation and of making use of San Min Chu I seriousfly and urgently. However, none of the Chinese would believe what the the doctrine.

The newspaper reported that after for peace which was without result. reply to the British protest. negotiating secretly with the British the proposed regime in Nanking. Following the inforaml communi-

"ABSOLUTE INSULT"

the idea of exhausting Japanese pre-China is using the funds in parations in China, and then did his strengthening her currency for pay- utmost to prevent the Shanghai outing for arms bought in Europe for break, although he failed. It is said for the payment of indemnities and that his wife is Chinese, and that he Under this arrangement, says the understands Chinese affairs well.

Japanese mistake in arranging a new In return for this privilege, France | peace plan which lies ignorant of is expected to co-operate with Bri- the fact that the Chinese people are tain in maintaining China's legal not so easily deceived with a countender, secondly, to ship arms and tered Kuomintang and a re-inter-

Sixthly, Chinese experts on Japanand thirdly, to begin positive co- ese affairs had warned the nation operation with those countries in for months that the Japanese were supporting China for the extension plotting to form a new Kuomintang of new credits to the Kuomintang .-- so that Major-General Kita's peace plan was nothing new in the eyes of Chungking. They said that Baron dependent on them is responsible for instead of Sun Ynt-sen's five-Power recently arrived here. constitutional Government and the People's livelihood --- would mean Japanese exploitation of Chinese resources .- United Press.

Swiss Correspondent there from the felty fell. Expelled By Italy

Rome, Feb. 26. The Italian Government has ordered the expulsion from Italy of D. J. N. Anderson, E. C. Fincher, ders at La Palma in the Sinaloa the Swiss journalists, Paul Gentizon, for 12 years Rome correspondent of the Paris "Le Temps," Robert Hodel, correspondent of the Zurich "Neuezurcher Zeitung," who has lived in Italy for 29 years, and Luigt Pedrazzini, Rome correspondent of The three men were summoned to Federal troops in charge of the opera- the police station this morning and informed they must leave the country pulsions is given. United Press.

President Azana Leaves France

PARIS, Feb. 26. THE PRESIDENT of the Spanish Republic, Senor Manual Azana, left Paris for his brother-in-law's home in Savole to-day accompanied by the Loyalist Spanish Ambassador to Paris, Senor Marcelino Pascua y Martinez, and the President of the Cortes, Senor Martinez Barrio.

It is not known whether President Azana, before leaving, signed his abdication.-Trans-Occan.

HONGKONG BOMBING-AFFAIR

Amicably Settled Says Report

TOKYO, Feb. 27. THE BOMBING AFFAIR Japanese would manufacture from involving the British territory Secondly, Kita, as head of the near Shumchun, was understood special service organ at Peiping is to have been amicably settled as the first Japanese official openly the result of the official British planning a peace programme. It is communication handed on TOKYO, Feb. 27.

Stated that Tokyo, for a long time, Saturday afternoon by Sir has stooped for peace, first directing Robert Craigie, the British the "puppets" at Pelping to appeal. Nichi," Chinese emissaries in Thirdly, Kuomintang officials be- Ambassador, to the Vice-Minischwan border. There will also be bolsterous sequel at Whitehall this Europe were concluding arrange- lieve that Wang Ching-wei, despite ter of Foreign Affairs, Mr. an extension from Weining within afternoon.

A demonstration of protest against and along the Kunming-Yipin line the Government's action held in French programme of financial, tang Government, because he was a long to the foreign Analysis and the elever enough to understand that satisfaction at the Japanese

> authorities, the Chinese emissaries, would be the most sinister among all cation on Saturday, morning, the British Ambassador called on Vice-Now that the Japanese themselves Minister for Foreign Affairs, Mr. nese French officials," including M. were "no longer potent" they were Sawada, at the Foreign Office on the afternoon and handed a written note to the Japanese Government.

Fourthly, the so-called invitation Foreign Minister Arita, it is re-The newspaper said that in the to Chiang Kai-shek to join the pro- called, on Thursday expressed in acceptance in the light of such an Kowloon on February 21 by Japanese military aircraft, and procaused by the incident, and also to amicable settlement.

It is understood that negotiations ducted by the authorities of the two countries "on the spot."-Domci.

Why Kuling Foreigners Are Staying Loyalty To Duty

Hankow, Feb. 26. Loyalty to duty and to the Chinese

Hiranuma's reinterpretation of the the continued presence in Kuling of Sun Yat-sen principles-the unity of some of the little band of Americans Japan, China and Manchukuo, and still at the mountain resort, according Japanese tutelage throughout China, to the former fellow residents, who Dr. and Mrs. Walter Libby re-

fused to consider abandoning their tubercular home which they conduct. · Miss Rachel Nostrom prefers risking her life to abandoning the group of Chinese girl students she took there from Nanking before the latter

Miss Nancy Fry, the only foreign nurse in Kuling, is prepared to nurse Chinese civilians who may be wounded by the threatened air raids. are some too old or infirm to undertake the arduous journey to Kluklang.

Mr. Henry Baker, a resident at Kuling for over 30 years is 76. The Rev. Wesley Lawton and the Rev. Hugh White and their wives are all over 70 years of age. The Americans are using the American school hs a concentration point where they intend to gather

during the threatened raids.



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Cowardly Attack On Taxi-Driver Soldiers Fined

A cowardly attack by two soldiers 'said:

ordered to pay \$5 compensation. The assault on the driver took and Berlin are the first manifestaplace after three men had alighted tion. from the taxi at the entrance to Mt. | "Let us also hope that the Covern-Davis forts and refused to pay their ment, which again has found it has fare, amounting to \$2.20.

very drunk at the time and don't re- United Press. member what happened." Baxter, said "I didn't strike th man. I ejected him from military property as part of my duty." An officer told the Court that the gate man had orders not to allow any person into the forts unless he

held a military pass or was accompanied by inflitary personnel. "In this case, I think Baxter exceeded his duty. The taxi-driver was entitled to his fare and if the soldler had any doubts he could have Among other Americans in Kuling | telephoned and ascertained his duty."

The taxi-ariver, who denied that any of his passengers were drunk revealed that he has lost two days' pay as a result of the assault. He had to make up the difference between \$1, which one man subsequently tendered, and \$2.20.

Two special M.G.M. productions It is n four-storey building of re- will be screened at the Queen's and inforced concrete, which could only Alhambra Theatres as follows: "The No official explantition for the ex- be demoged by a direct hit.—' Great Waltz" commending on March 4, and "Citatel" od March, 17,

Appeal To Insurgent Government

Marseilles, Feb. 26. M. Flandin, speaking at a banueqt of the Alliance Democratique_to-day

on a taxl-driver had a sequel in | "Let us hope that in the field of Central Court this morning when foreign policy, recognition of the Gunner John Buller and Gunner Spanish Insurgent Government will James Baxter, both 21 years of age end the Spanish civil war, and mark were fined \$10 each for assaulting the beginning of an era of European Leung Wah. In addition, Buller was appeasement, of which the commercial negotiations between London

a new and faithful majority, will go Buller, in evidence, said: "I was forward on the road of action."-



Monday,

ROSE ELECT OR NAVYLIGHT FOR HONGKONG DERBY?

IMPRESSED IN THEIR RACES LAST SATURDAY

Many Important Events On The Card To-day

Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Rose Elect ... or ... Mr. Cire's Navylight to win the Hongkong Derby

This is a problem which has been confront-ing race-goers for some weeks. It was expected to-day? that Saturday's racing, the first opportunity punters had of seeing the ponies in a genuine race, would throw some light on the problem. But did it? One wonders.

Saturday's events were that Rose find a suitable lockey for to-day's Elect has plenty of speed-a fact big race, Mr. H. C. Pih took out which everyone who has seen the Navylight on Saturday, but Mr. Navylight scems to like a longhish J. Pote-Hunt, a friend of his, would race-which has never been really ride it in the Derby race.

confirmed. But the point now seems to be this: Will Rose Elect, which created | a new record for six furlongs in the Bridge in the Trial Plate was very Malden Stakes on Saturday (beat- disappointing indeed, and it does not ing King's Warden's best of 1.24.3), seem likely that this candidate will be able to keep it up in the longer be of any danger to Rose Elect or Derby distance? If she can, she will Navylight, Before this race was probably win despite the fact that run, however, there were many Navylight, in winning the Trial people who thought Hyndford Bridge Plate, had no opposition at all from up to the standard of these two, but the rest of the field.

GOOD PERFORMANCES

Elect, and Eve of Harvest and Con- subscription China ponics. quering Time were following Navy- | Desert Chief, who broke a record

morning. Therefore we ought to see be taken out in the latter race only a very fast race if Liberty Bay's -a cinch for her. Dgrby record is not lowered.

disappointed that his son. Mr. R. B. surprise. out Navylight owing to a recurrence cloud

The only things established by of an old ailment, but he hopes to Moller expressed the hope that Mr

VERY DISAPPOINTING

The form shown by Hyndford opinion must have changed quickly after the finish of the Trial Plate.

Apart from the Derby, there are Both performances were extremely many interesting races on the card impressive, and there seems little to-day, including the Lusitano Cup, doubt that the first place in the Blue Garrison Cup, Victoria Stakes, Ex-Riband is between the two. Lilhber change Plate, Chater Cup and the and Blue Express were behind Rose Challenge Cup. Only two are for

light in that order; but in each case, on Saturday, has been entered in there was a clear-cut superiority of only one race, the Victoria Stakes. the winner over the rest of the field. Therefore she is almost certain to dry and is conducive to fast time, as be hers. Silkylight has been entered proved by the three records for Victoria Stakes and the Chalestablished in five races on Saturday lenge, but it is expected that she will

If there are upsets to-day, they As only to be expected, both will probably be caused by ponies owners are supremely confident of which were left at the starting gate their candidates' ability to win the on Saturday. There were several of them. The public, therefore, are Mr. Eric Moller, for instance, still in the dark regarding their conthinks Navylight will win, though he dillon, and if their jockeys can get acknowledges that Rose Elect is a them away with the bunch in to-"very time animal." He is very day's races, one or two may cause a

Molier, who rode Silkylight to vie- | Confusion Bay, it is understood, tory in the Derby and Champions at will not weigh out for any events the last annual meeting, cannot take at the Carnival, as she is under a

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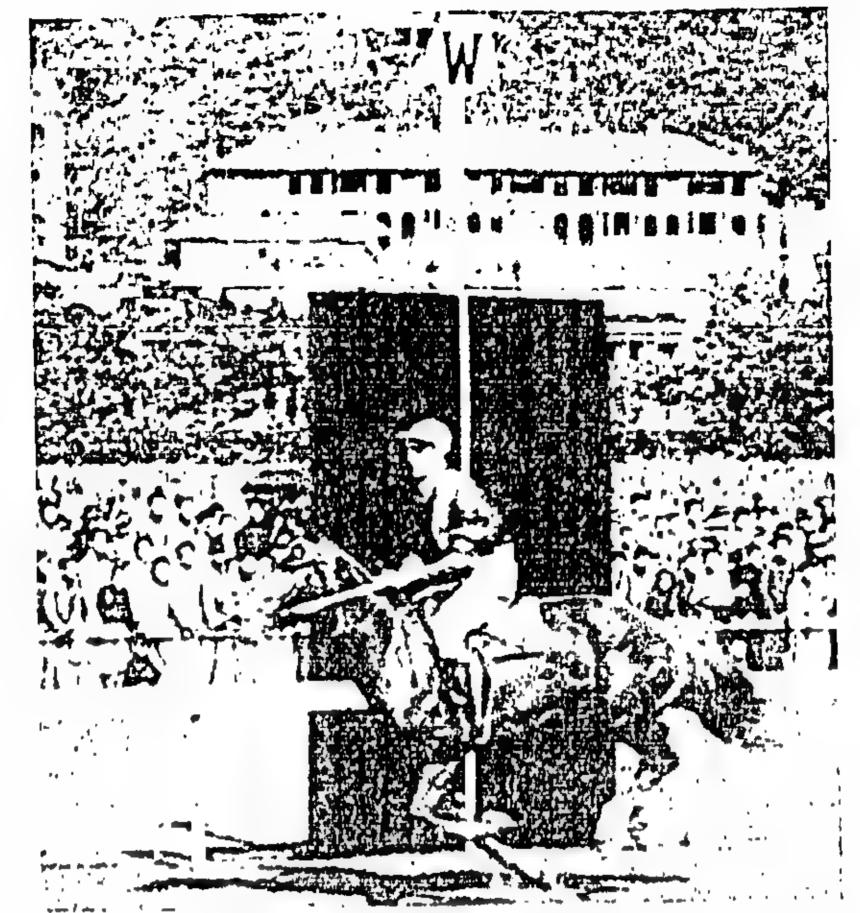
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DAILY DOUBLE

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(FIRST SECTION)

South China Held 1-1 In Charity Soccer



Mr. C. L. Gregory brought Strathbannock home to an easy win in the second section of the Wong Net Chong Stakes at Happy Valley on Saturday to pay the highest dividend of the day, \$69.50. Picture shows the winner at the post.—Photo by Juffer.

GUIDE THIS TAKE RACE COURSE TO-DAY WITH YOU

The following are the entries for the races at Happy The track at the moment is very start, in which case the race should Valley to-day. Numbers in front of the ponies' names indicate where they finished in their last three starts.

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BOWLERS ARE NOT HELPLESS IN MODERN CRICKET

Game Needs To Be Left Alone

ed in a speech made recently by ing in Worcester of the Worcestershire Cricket Club, of which he is ylee-chairman.

Major Jewell. "It needs leaving nione. Much has been said about The absence of several players forwards prevented the Rest gool the over preparation of wickets, who had been originally selected from falling. Once a misunder-We were told that it was impossi- weakened the Rest side considerably, standing by Hou and Hartley let in ble to turn the ball upon them, and the forward line seldom showed Law Tau-man, but the left wing, Even if this was so, the bowler still any real combination. There were with a yawning goal in front of has further darts up his sleeve in some good individual efforts but few him, shot outside. On another occalength, flight, change of page and concerted ones. Moss was a hard- sion the same player had a grand

'his," he went on, "and concentrate men, who selden kept up with him, on using these essential factors of thus leaving him with too much to good bowling, they would do better do. Courtney, for instance, was than just grousing about the state hanging too far back most of the of breaking a way through the Chi-

benefit—a record for a Worcester- several good runs down the left wing, from passes flung out by him. But shire professional.

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LEE WAI-TONG KEEPS RECORD OF SCORING GOAL IN EACH MATCH

Rest Side Draw Level In The Closing Minutes

(By "Abe")

Though obviously the better side in many respects, the South China A.A. were held to a draw of 1-1 in the charity soccer match in aid of the China Relief Fund played "The game is all right," declared at Caroline Hill yesterday.

"If bowlers were to remember given little support by his Inside shot wildly, time, and Rides, playing out of his nese defence continued to fall. His It was announced that Gibbons usual position, never seemed really was a lone battle, however, though

but made the cardinal fault of look- in one of these, fortunately for the The Hon. Charles Lyttelton was ing around for his inside men when Rest, Couriney and Rides kept up re-elected captain of Worcestershire, better results might have been with the attack, and the scores were and his father, Lord Cobham, was obtained by cutting in and trying levelled. Thomas cut in and shot, I to put in a shot himself.

> were a steady pair of backs, and swung it back to the middle and Hartley was very safe in goal. The Courtney took a first-time shot, fact that against such a fine South scoring with Cheung still out of his. China attack they conceded only one charge. goal is tribute enough to their This occurred four minutes from ability. But this was also due partly the end, and the final whistle blew to the able work of Beltrao at centre- with the scores dead-locked at 1-1. half, who kept a firm hold on Lee South China tried out two com-Wai-tong all the time the latter was parative "unknowns" yesterday, up in the forward line. Hsu King- Cheung Wing-chol (in goal), who shing, at left-half, was also in good played with such conspicuous sucform, though he was given a trying cess with the Chinese team in the time by Fung King-cheung and Tang last tour to Salgon, and Tam Chan-Kwong-sum. Honniball, on the fal, a Third Division half-back. other flank, however, was not quite Cheung gave a very cool and clever up to the standard of the others and display, and Tam gave evidence of provided the only weak link in an promise as a half-back. otherwise admirable defence.

NEGATIVE FOOTBALL

With nothing at stake, the South China players did not seem to be Beltrao and Sheehan saw to it that Shiu-wing and Law Tau-mon. they were not given any chance to

sheet was still blank, but twelve Courtney, Moss, Rides and Thomas, minutes after the resumption, South China took the lead, through Lee Wai-tong. The Rest defenders seemed to be under the impression that Lee was off-side, and Hartley made no attempt to stop the shot, but the referee apparently had no doubt at all that it was a goal.

Shortly after this, Mak Siu-hon hurt his ankle during a Rest raid, eision in the "B" Division of the Badand was out of the game for the minton League this evening. St. remainder of the match. Lee Wal- Andrew's "A", who are leading this tong, who had already kept his section of the League, should advance record of scoring in every match in- another step towards the title when tact, went back to fill Mak's position they play the V.R.C. at right back.

In spite of Lee's absence, the V.R.C. Chinese made several dangerous Recreto raids, and only poor finishing by the K. Tong "A"

working centre-forward, but was chance of adding to the score, but

SCORES LEVELLED

On Moss' broad shoulders the task would receive over £900 from his happy at inside left. Thomas made the wingers made several fine runs but though Cheung Wing-chol, the In defence, however, the Rest were | Chinese goal-keeper, got his hands the equals of their opposite num- to the ball, he failed to hold it and bers. Hou Yung-sang and Sheehan it went out to the right. Emberson

The Chinese never seemed to be I going all out. The pace, as a result, was inclined to be slow throughout the whole match.

South China A.A.—Cheung Winggoing all out. They showed a bit of chol: Mak Siu-hon, Li Tin-sang; Lau pretty, if negative, football in mid- Hing-chol, Leung Wing-chiu, Tam field, but once they had not to within Chan-fai; Tang Kwong-sum, Fung shooting distance, Hou Yung-sang, King-cheung, Lee Wai-tong, Lal

Rest of Colony,-Hartley; Hou when half-time arrived, the score Beltrao, Hsu King-shing; Emberson,

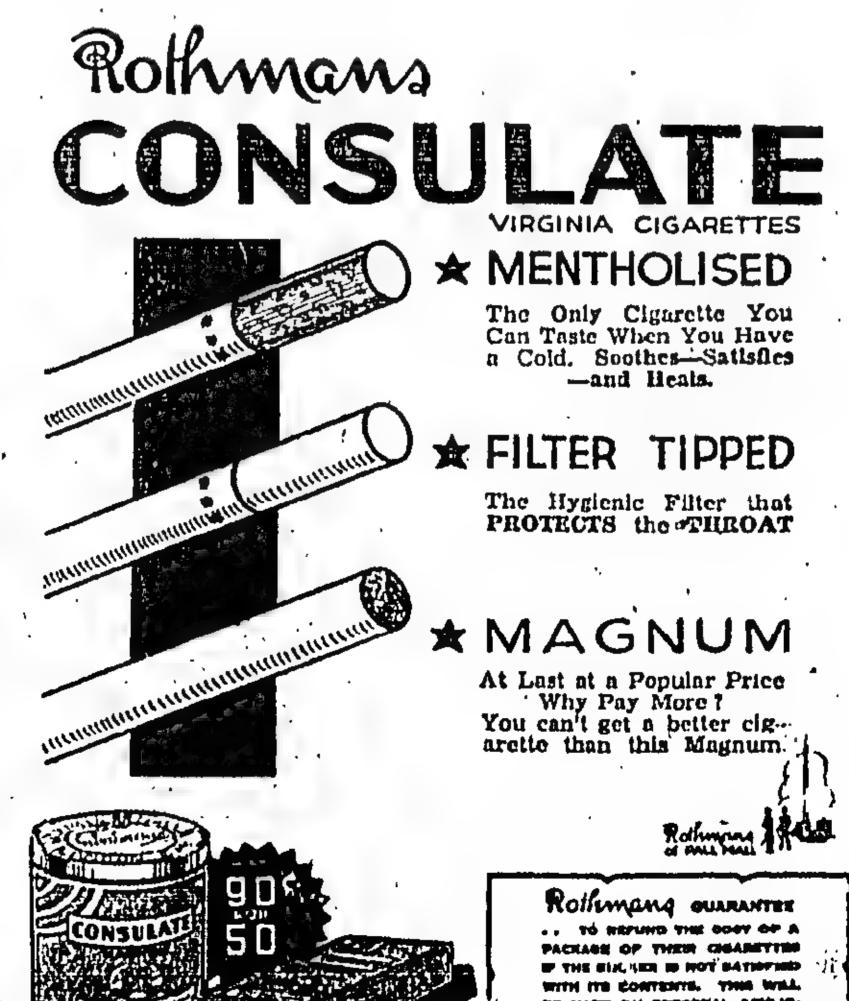
Matches To-night

Three matches are down for de-The programme is as follows:

v. St. Andrew's "A" v. K. Tong "B" v. Chung Wah

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Rose Elect, greatly favoured in many quarters to win the Hongkong Derby to-day. On him is Mr. C. Encarnacao, who will be riding him in the big race this



"Capt. Foster" Selects The Following: — .-MONGOLIAN STAKES Ring Master

Selections Made By Early Bird' 3.—LUSITANO CUP

The following selections on to-day's races are made by "Early Bird" of the 'S. C. M. Post: 1st Race Marksman Ring Master

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Navylight Rose Elect Lilliber 9th Race Wild Life Rob Roy

New Star 10th Race Silkylight

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Chiltern Pumpernickel Ruby Star Blue Express 4.—VICTORIA STAKES Descri Chief Bear Claw Happy Eve 5-GARRISON CUP Rose Evelyn Bistre Salvage Master 6.-EXCHANGE PLATE Musketeer Marksman Oranje Boven 7.-MELBOURNE CUP Lucky Lad Lancashire Chips Able Amazon 8.—HONGKONG DERBY Rose Elect Navylight Eve of Harvest 9.--CHATER CUP New Star Jober Wild Life

10.—CHALLENGE CUP Silkylight King's Warden Red Feather 11.—BLACK ROCK STAKES Heetle View Galveston Bay 12:-PERTH PLATE (SECOND SECTION) Devonian Rivulet Happy Landings DAILY DOUBLE Lucky Lad / New Star English Cavalier

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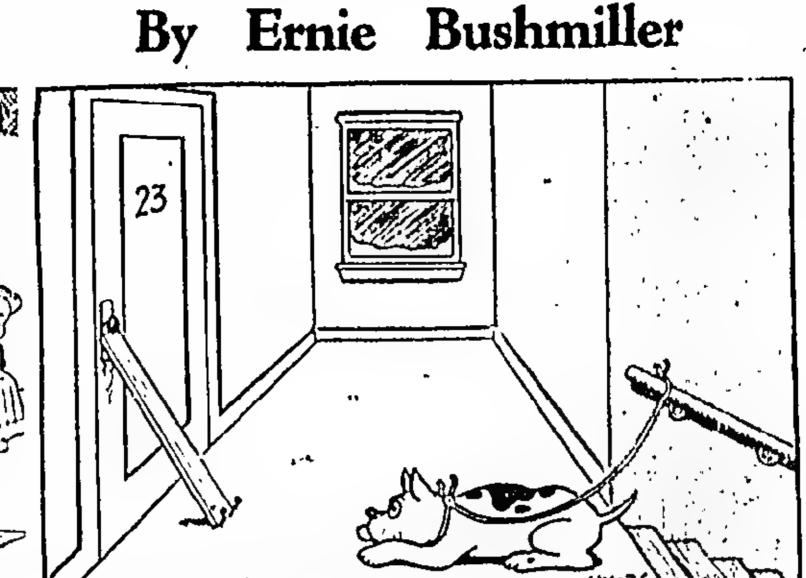
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INTERPORT HOCKEY

Many Players on View In Preparation For The Visit to Shangai

(By "The Pilgrim")

The first Ladies' Hockey Interport trial was held at King's Park yesterday morning. Two games of 40 minutes each were played, giving many players a chance to be seen in action.

There was one casualty during the | ** spraining an ankle in the first game, necessitating her leaving the field.

Mrs. Ackroyd filled the vacancy at course of the trial, Miss H. Bockler centre forward.

Colours, who had most of the play in the first game, scored through Miss D. McCaw in the second haif. A nice movement by Miss J. Ewing on the right wing resulted in the goal being scored. This was the only goal scored and both teams were very evenly-matched.

Of the respective goal-keepers, Mrs. Lunson, Colours, was more reliable than Miss J. Hall, of St. An-(Colours) and Miss I. Woolley team at King's Park by 3-2. tween the pivots, Miss J. Wong (Whites). The latter, in my estima-

half, was the best wing-half on Saints the lead in a brilliant sold Whites' left-half, running a close they were on the defensive most of Booker were not at their best.

The Whites' attack was more im- lead. pressive. Miss M. Shand, at inside | The first goal followed a movement doing some very useful work.

were the best forwards, though Mrs. forward had the ball in the net. Dalzied at inside left, worked hard.

SECOND GAME

In the second game, which was won by the Colours 1-0, several fresh players were introduced into both teams, and a few positional changes tack got going and by means of some made. Miss D. Moss in goal for the Colours gave a better display than Mrs. Read and the Colours'-backs, Miss G. White and Mrs. Wilmot outshone Miss P. Everest and Miss R. Smith.

Miss I. Woolley was seen at right combining well with Miss M. Shand of Miss Pope, Mrs. M. Bell and Miss for the Whites. for the Whites.

Whites, was also in the picture with her great spoiling work, receiving particularly in the second half, was a able support from Miss A. Smith at distinct feature of the game. able support from Miss A. Smith at centre-half.

interesting as the first, as several names were submitted by the various clubs and players had to be given a trial to prove their worth. Several well-known players were not seen in action and their chances for the Interport cannot be ignored. I shall make further comments on

Thursday. Mrs. Webb informs me that there will be another trial next Sunday

LEAGUE Recreio Defeat Panthers By One Run Margin

Scores of yesterday's games are as

Men's League English Forum 6, Machine Gun-Filipinos 12, Central British 3. Women's Lesgue Recreio 10, Panthers 18. Inter-Hong League Green Spots 21, R.A.F. 11.

Socony 27, China Underwriters 5. Hongkong Shanghal Bank 25. National City Bank 8. Priendly "Club de Recreio 12, U.S.S. Min-

Surprise Saints XI

(By "The Pilgrim")

players, the Hongkong Ladies G. White and Miss M. Roza, were gave St. Andrew's a shock in the superior to Miss Moss and Mrs. Wil- Caer Clark Cup on Saturday mot. There was little to choose be- when they defeated the home

The Saints started off at a fast tion, was slightly better with her pace and it looked at one time as if the Hongkong Ladies were in for a Mrs. I. Stone, the Colours' right- rough time. Miss J. Wong gave the with Miss D. Watson the effort after 15 minutes, but though Miss H. Reid and Miss J. the time, the Hongkong Ladies found the net on two occasions to take the

ball on the run and with great speed The M. Booker-J. Ewing partner- cut in to equalise with a grand shot. Of the Colours' attack, both put across an excellent centre. Mrs. wingers, Miss J. Greig, on the right, Dalziel was unmarked and before and Miss M. Westcott, on the left, Miss J. Hall could get out, the centre

Thereafter the home side attacked up the middle but poor shooting by their forwards saw Hongkong Ladies still in the lead at half-time.

SECOND HALF After the interval, the Saints' atgood passing and speedy following up, equalised through Miss F. Wong. All through this half, the Saints were mostly pressing, although Mrs. Dalziel and Miss Purvis, for the visitors,

were always a source of danger. In the last five minutes, however, half for the Colours and Mrs. Williams at left-half; both gave a good account of themselves. Miss line to put the Hongkong Ladies again Harker, at inside right, showed good in the lead-after Miss Hall had misform and may go close to the final kicked a clearance. The end was selection. Miss D. Hunt and Miss near and though St. Andrew's press-M. Westeott, the respective left ed hard, the staunch defensive work with Stewart inclined to barge Africa) beat Shayes and Miss Jean

Mrs. Lunson was in excellent form Miss Greaves, at left half for the in the visitors' goal and her play,

Miss G. White, Miss J. Wong and This game, however, was not as Miss H. Reid did well in the Saints' much to be desired.



Frances Farmer scores again in Paramount's thrilling drame, "Ride a Crooked Mile," which in being shown simultaneously at the Queen's and Alhambra Theatres. Also in the cast are Akim Tamiroff and Leif.



HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

A scene of the French revolution, from "Marie Antoinette," starring Norma Shearer and Tyrone Power. The picture, which marks the return to the screen of Norma Shearer, who is reported to be gravely ill at the moment, is now being shown at the King's Theatre. The two stars are shown in the inset.

BANKERS HOLD CLUB Form Guide TO A DRAW IN For Races ANNUAL ENCOUNTER

(By "Fly-Half")

On Saturday afternoon on the Navy ground at Causeway Bay, the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank held the Club to a draw of a forward, formed a good combination half-way line, sent the ball out to the with Miss D. Hunt on the left wing left wing. Miss Purvis caught the ing away possible scoring chances through bad passing.

> after a good run on the right wing, have things their own way. The entertainment is promised. Bank back row forwards were quick in going round on Henderson whenever Club heeled. Hutchison was much subdued and yet he obtained what has been for him a try per match for February. Although he did not make yesterday's try, he obtained it by good backing up.

> > The Bankers held a slight superiority in the tussle between the packs, especially in the set scrums where Dunnett hooked well for them. Watson, who played in the back row three seasons ago for Club, was a test match which is being played lively wing forward on Saturday, here, Britain, so far, has been beaten Harman, who was playing his first in all matches. The results to-day game in the Colony, was well up with were: the ball on every occasion.

> > the fact that it was composed of Miss Rosemary Thomas (Britain) three wing threes and a forward. 6-3, 7-5. through rather than use his speed to Saunders (Britain) 6-2, 6-4. get him round his opposite number. Farquharson and Miss Craze beat Up to the time he received an ankle D. Butler and Miss Valerie Scott injury, Bosanquet was the best wing (Britain) 6-0, 5-7, 7-5. three on the field.

The Bank backs possessed more Monday,-Reuter. guile although they were inclined to wander. Day confirmed the im- TOURNAMENT POSTPONED pression he made three weeks ago in a Wednesday fixture. He is quick off the mark and possesses a good to have been held by the Civil Serside-step and swerve. Carruthers vice Cricket Club at their courts at and he were two enterprising inside Happy Valley yesterday was postthrees on Saturday. The former, poned owing to the weather, and will however, has still an inclination to be held next Sunday, March 5, comlose his head once he breaks through mencing at 2.30 p.m. Entrance fee and throws out wild passes. He has for the tournament will be \$1. a long stride which makes it particularly difficult to bring him down.

Taverner and Butcher were content to feed their threes—a wise move on the duy's play. A notable absentee from the Bank team was R. C. L. Oliphant, who left the Colony a week ago for New York, to which city he has been transferred.

TO-DAY'S GAME

This afternoon at 4.45 p.m., the 6 mins, 34.3 secs,-Trans-Ocean. Club "A" will meet a team drawn from the Hongkong Police. It is understood that B. C. Fay, who did so well for Police at cricket 'last Saturday, will make his debut in the Police rugger team to-day Pt stand-off half.

Cole, Nelson, Carruthers, Watts; Day, Henderson; Salter, Burford, Bompas, Stark, Stewart, Harman, Taylor and Redman.

SEVEN-A-SIDE on their ground at Sookunpoo, the arithmetic.

Unexpectedly the Club halves, Army will hold their Seven-A-Side ship also shaped well on the right Almost immediately Miss M. Smalley. Henderson and Hutchison, did not Journament. A good afternoon's

BRITISH **PLAYERS** BEATEN

Capetown, Feb. 25. In the third and last Lawn Tennis

The match will be resumed on

The tennis tournament which was

HVEGER'S RECORD

Copenhagen, Feb. 25. Ranghild Hveger, the famous Danish girl swimmer, succeeded on Friday evening in improving on her own world record for the 500 metres free style, from 6 mins, 39.1 sees, to

The final of the Junior Golf Champlonship of the Royal Hongkong The following will represent Club Golf Club was played off at Fanling yesterday when H. N. Williamson beat J. C. L. Pearce at the fortleth

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C. B. BROWN, Secretary.

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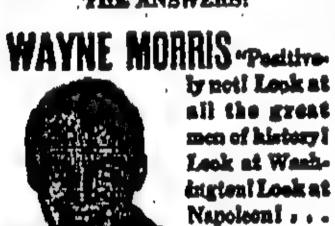
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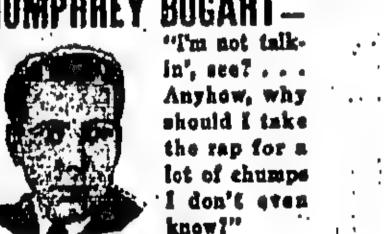
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FROCKS FOR THE OFFICE



TOU will need to wear your top coats for some time yet, so the best thing to do is to have a new warm frock. It will make a pleasant change in your ward-

The styles here are selected for those who spend their days in offices, so if you want to be one of the three smart girls shown in the sketch, here are a few tips as to colours and materials.

The girl who is handy with her needle is having a grand time among the fabric bargains just now.

Rust, copper and tan are excellent shades to choose. They blend attractively with black, navy, green or brown coats, and give you a fashionable combination.

If you do not want an all-wool frock, then I suggest a wool and art, silk marocain.

Spring Fashions

Yoked styles and short sleeves are going to be featured in spring fashions. Note that the latter are squared and without an excessive puff. They are perhaps a little cool for present day wear, so above are shown two of the styles with long sleeves. No. 1233 shows a youthful style with a simply cut skirt for the small woman. This would look attractive in kingfisher blue with elgar brown collar and cuffe, or if you prefer a pastel touch then choose dawn pink. Next comes a useful buttoned style, No. 1234; with a narrowed yoke that will suit the shortish woman, for these lengthening lines are

height-making. A scarf gives a bright fillip to colour and buttons should match.

Slimming Stripes

Maybe you have to watch that hipline, so choose a fabric with a faint chalk stripe. It's slimming! Stripes nic nently worked crossways and down in No. 1235, and buttons trim the front.

A small shoulder yoke gives the right fashion note to your dress.

FASHION NOTES

Velvet chenille is often used for evening gowns. There is also a pale turquoise lame made from thread which lends itself to almost any style of stitch, and there is a copper evening model which is in metal thread. Generally speaking, the favourite trimmings are flowers which the dress-makers are placing everywhere For the evening we see them at the belt, the waist, at the back, on hto shoulders, in garlands as sashes, or in necklaces, on gloves, and in the

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How Young Do You Feel? which her feet and legs must carry

WHEN you hear your masculing YY acquaintances discussing the ageing legs of some boxer or footballer, has it ever occurred to you that the old sporting adage about an athlete being no younger than his legs applies with equal force to every woman—whether she indulges in any kind of sport or not? ...

If only more women realised this fact and took the trouble to act upon it, there would be fewer prematurely ageing wives in the world, and more happy marriages, too. For legs and feet play so important a role in everyone's life that, neglected, they are often the real source of much of the unhappiness and mlsunderstanding to be found in so many homes to-day.

Take a typical young modern couple. The wife has probably given up an office job, or come straight from a home in which her domestic duties have been of the lightest character. Being young and naturally anxious to look her best, she has always taken care of her feet and legs, and has worn the best shoes she could afford.

Encroaching Carelessness

On marriage, this girl finds herself with a little home of her own. She has now no competition to face, and how her feet and ankles look in the privacy of that home does not seem to her to matter. Her job no longer depends upon her appearance, and now that she is actually married she drifts into being much less particular about always looking her best.

In little things, when working about the house, she tends to let her appearance "slide," and one of the first details which she will almost certainly neglect will be her feet. Yet in doing this housework she is. probably upon her feet more than she realises, and is placing additional strain on her legs.

Not only does she use her feet and legs more than she did before her marriage, but, in the natural course of things, she sooner or later begins to put on weight, probably an average of from ten to twenty pounds. That increase is additional weight

Yoked frock in kingfisher blue, with youthful skirt. Dainty collar and cuffs of dawn pink organdi.

Ever popular scarf neckline featured on a trim coat-frock style with bright buttons and slanting pockets.

Chalk stripes are slimming. They go two ways on this becoming frock for

the fuller figure.

Most disastrous of all is the all-too common "economy" regarding house shoes. Many women cannot see why in the privacy of their own homes they should not wear out old shoes no longer presentable enough for the

street or evening wear. Such "sloppy" footwear, while it may give the wearer a false sense of comfort, is bound to cause incalculable harm. For shoes which have lost their shape offer no support to the feet, and when they have become overrun at the heels they throw considerable strain upon the muscles of both feet and legs.

Mental Strain

But the damage does not end there. It is an established physiological fact that tension in muscles or strain upon any part of the body produces nerve strain and irritability.

Though the housewife may smarten herself up for her husband when her day's work is done, and puts on a good pair of shoes in which to greet him, she forgets that she cannot freshen up her brain that has suffered all day on account of the muscular strain on her feet and legs. No amount of time spent before her mirror will avail to perk up her frayed nerves.

In spite of herself, she is irritable; the most trivial misunderstanding is magnified into a heated argument. She nags her puzzled husband, probably without realising that she is doing it, and he, being himself tired ufter his day's work, is in no mood to make allowances.

It is therefore well worth while to go to the very little trouble which is all that is necessary to keep your feet and legs as young as they really are. A few simple but regular exercises, and the paying of at least as much attention to the shoes a woman wears about her: home as to those she wears when dining out will prevent domestie discord. For the axiom that an athlete is

only as good as his feet and legs also goes for the housewife, the typist, and every woman. C. C.

Grape Fruit And Orange Marmalade

MOST grape-fruit recipes sound very complicated, and involve a good deal of work, but here is a very simple one well worth trying:-

Take two grape-fruits, two oranges, and four lemons. Scrub well, cut in two and squeeze out the juice. Any pulp or pips tie in a piece of muslin. Put all the skins through a fine mincer, not a shredding machine. Steep all in 18 tencups of water for 24

Then pour into pan and boli for a few minutes. While this is still boiling add 10 lbs sugar.

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The railway which the station serves is closing down because of the lack of passengers. Below we show you a typical day in the life of Mr. Weller, the one man station staff.



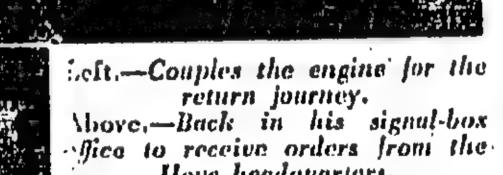
He issues tickets from the booking-office.



Signals the approaching train.



Collects the passengers' tickets.



Hove headquarters. CONSIGNEES' NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. Bringing Cargo from Dunkirk via Halphong, etc., arrived Hongkong on

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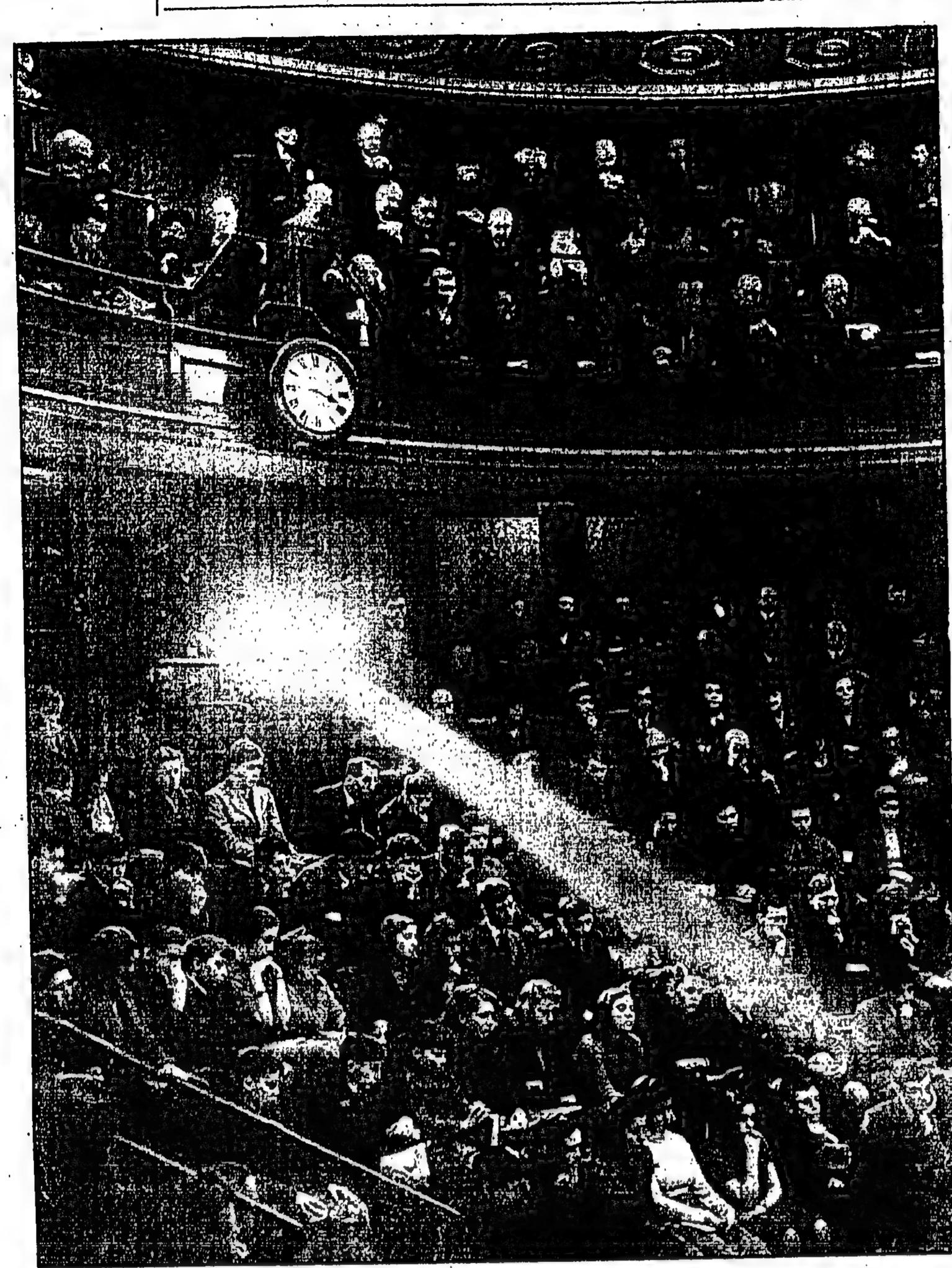
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made by young men of science.



AT Bridesmaids in coincilnes and pages in Early; Victorian sults with top hats, followed the bride and bridegroom WEDDING at the village wedding of Mr. Lennox-Boyd, Parliamentary Secretary of the Ministry of Labour, and Lady Patricia Guinness, at Eleveden, Suffolk. The bride-

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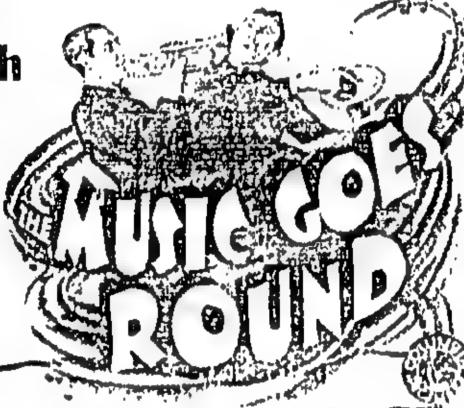
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(Continued from Page 1.)

PERTH PLATE (2ND RACE) First Section, Winner \$1,000; Second \$400; Third \$250. For Australian Ponies, Griffins of this Meeting. One Mile.

Circ's CANDLELIGHT 152 lb.

(J. Pote-Hunt) 1

Chau Bros.' TRIUMPHANT DAY 155 lb. Dynasty's KING'S HERALD 152 lb. .. (V. V. Needa)

Won by many lengths; three lengths.

Time:—1.50.1.

Pari-Mutuel:—Winners \$94.70 Places \$19.80; \$8.50; \$13.10.

Mrs. Eu Tong-sen's Chiltern, which was fancisd for this event, proved frisky at the barrier, and played up to such an extent that it got away to a bad start. Pumpernickel got away to a bad start, but was soon displaced by Sydney Lad.

The hay could not hold its lead, however, and was displaced by the Shanghal entry in the straight, Candelight cantering home an easy winner. The time was six seconds outside the record.

Won by many lengths; three lengths.

Delieved to have scared away dress the Bench. A police superintendent spoke to her, but she refused to sit down and the magistrates ordered her to be ejected.

For the next hour her shouts could be heard from outside, and once she attempted to re-enter the court. Finally, 'she was told that if she wanted to make an application she leaving the shopkeeper, Mr. Edward in the straight, Candelight cantering home on easy winner. The time was six seconds outside the record. outside the record.

LUSITANO CUP (3RD RACE)

About Half Mile 170 Yards, Li Po Chun's CONQUERING TIME 158 lb. (J. Pote Hunt) Eve's EVE OF HEAVEN 161 lb. (F. Marshall) V. M. Grayburn's AVON 101 lb.

Won by two lengths; the same, Conquering Time overtook Eve of Itease ven as the ponies came into the straight and flashed past the winning post many lengths ahead of the second pony, with an equal distance separating second and third. The unplaced ponies were hunched well behind the leaders, with Tigress, who was left at the post, a bad last. There who was left at the post, a bad last. There who was left at the post, a bad last. There who was left at the post, a bad last. There who was left at the post, a bad last. There who was left at the post, a bad last. There who was left at the post, a bad last. There who was left at the post, a bad last. There who was left at the post, a bad last. There who was left at the post, a bad last. There who was left at the post, a bad last. There who was left at the post, a bad last. There were 50 scratchings in this event, only pulled a heavy instrument from his

VICTORIA STAKES (4TH RACE) Receper on the hend. 5200. For China Ponies. One Mile. including Mr. Williams' girl assistant, Eu Tong-sen's DESERT CHIEF 161 lb. agree that he was handsome, aged (C. Encarancao) i Mrs Dumbar's REAR CLAW 161 lb... (D. Black)

Three starters.
Won by three lengths; two lengths.
Time:—1.55.1. Time:—1.55.1.

Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$5.40. Places \$5.30.

Nine entries scratched, leaving only three ponies to face the barrier. Mr. Eurong-sen's entry went out a firm favourite and quickly justified his backers by taking a strong lead, followed by King's Warden and Bear Claw in that order.

Although Needs urged his mount on to a monderful rally in the straight. King's wonderful rally in the straight, King's Worden was able to do no more than reduce Desert Chief's lend, the latter romping home three lengths ahead. The time was only one-fifth of a second outside the course record for the mile, set by Diana Bay.

GARRISON CUP (5TH RACE) Subscription Griffins of any season. One Mile. Eu Tong-sen's ROSE EVELYN 165 lb

(C. Encarnacao) Why's BISTRE 160 lb. ... (II. P. Chanson) Wong Sul-ngau's SALVAGE MASTER 165 1b,(B. L. Tao)

Won by 4 lengths; 2 lengths. Time:-2 01.4., Parl-mutuel:- Winner \$7.50. 35.60; \$6.90; \$7.00.

EXCHANGE PLATE (6TH RACE) Winner \$1,000; Second \$400; Third \$250, For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Meeting. About One Mile 171 Yards. S.L.R's CELTIC STAR 158 lb. (T. L. Wong) 1

Henry's MUSKETEER 152 1b. (S.C. Liang) Hollandia's ORANJE BOVEN 158 lb.... (C. Encarnacao)

25 starters. Won by short head; two lengths. Time:-2 13 Pari-mutuel:-Winner \$47. Places \$0,20; Solution of the lead as the twentyfive starters passed the grandstand on the first time round, with the favourite, Musketeer, pressing closely. Musketeer took the lead as the ponies passed the judge's box and retained it around the course until the field entered the straight on the home run. About thirty yards from the finishing post Celtic Star came up with a terrific such and neck past the judge's box, their jockeys' whips plying vigorously in an effort to gain an extra ounce of power, Celtic Star forging ahead right on the post.

II and tectotaler, is expected to make a drive shortly against stimulants and tobacco, which would save the Reich vast sums in foreign currency.

While the Fuehrer will not attack the Germans' beloved beer, it is expected that he will call on his followers to boycott coffee, tea, cocon and tobacco.

HISTORIC HOTEL

MELBOURNE CUP (7TH RACE) Winner \$1,000; Second \$300; Third \$200. For Australian Ponies of any genson. One and a Courter Miles.

Flight starters, Won by a neck; three lengths. Time;—2,14.3. Pari-mutuel:—Winner \$10.20. Places | night belove the structure. \$5.50; \$5.60; \$0.40;

SIMPLE OR . .-

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SCARES

REFLECTION in a mirror is

was touched.

At the moment of the attack, Mr. Winner Cup and \$1,000; Second P. J. Williams, a florist whose shop \$400; Third \$250. For China Ponies, is next door, had walked out to water bond fide Griffing of this Meeting. his flowers. He later found that his reflection in a mirror in the doorway of Mr. Lloyd's shop could have been seen by any one standing inside.

The police believe that this reflec-(H. J. A. Hearne) 3 tion seared the attacker, causing him to 'run way. Mr. Williams did not Time:-1.00.2.
Parl-mutuel:-Winner \$8.30. Places know that anything was wrong until THE possibility of the Government

mackintesh pocket and hit the shop-

Those who saw the man loitering Winner \$1,000; Second \$300; Third Court the street before the attack, Tronger whence it is communicated with the street before the attack, Yunnan; and, if not, whether, in view Dynasty's KING'S WARDEN 161 lb. ...

[V. V. Needa] 2 six foot tall, with dark, well-greased to the Far East, it can bring this twenty-reven. There was namesome, aged to the Far East, it can bring this twenty-reven. about thoroughfare up to modern standards? a linir, and dark suit.

King's Car

On the radiator cap of the King' and Queen's new car, being taken to Canada with them, is a silver lion. There has been a silver lion maseot on their cars since 1926.

The answer lies in an incident Winner, Cup and \$750; Second when, as Duke and Duchess of York, \$100; Third \$200. For China Ponies, they were big game hunting near Nairobi in 1925.

After a blank day in the jungle the Duke and Duchess were resting alone before returning to camp when, without warning, a lion sprang towards them from the dense undergrowth only a few yards away. A light gun with only two shots

left in it lay on the ground beside the Duke. He snatched it up and brought the animal down with a bullet through its head at the first shot.

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Mrs. W. J. Southam, smartly dressed widow of a rich Northamptonshire auctioneer, was turned out of Market Harborough police court recently after she had threatened to slap two policemen's faces.

Mrs. Southam, who was sitting in a front seat, jumped up after a minor case had been heard and tried to address the Bonch. A police superin-

assailant of a sixty-four tendent spoke to her, but she refused to sit down and the magistrates ord-

made no comment.

Mrs. Southam said later that she had been threatened with a rate summons and wanted advice from the

Burma-Yunnan Road

a few minutes later, when Mr. Lloyd L giving any assistance towards the improvement of the Burma-Yunnan Road was referred to in a question in the House of Commons recently:---

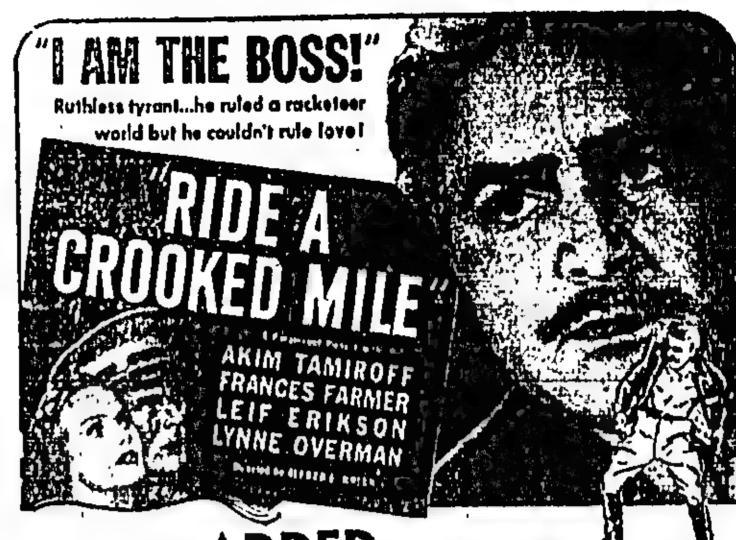
Captain P. Macdonald asked the Under-Secretary of State for Burma whether the Government of Burma is giving any assistance to improvement of the existing road to the Chinese frontier whence it is continued to of the development of this trade route

Government of Burma have already brought the road from Lashio to the Chinese frontler-a distance of about 120 miles—up to an all-weather Lion Un standard, and further-work is in progress upon its improvement.

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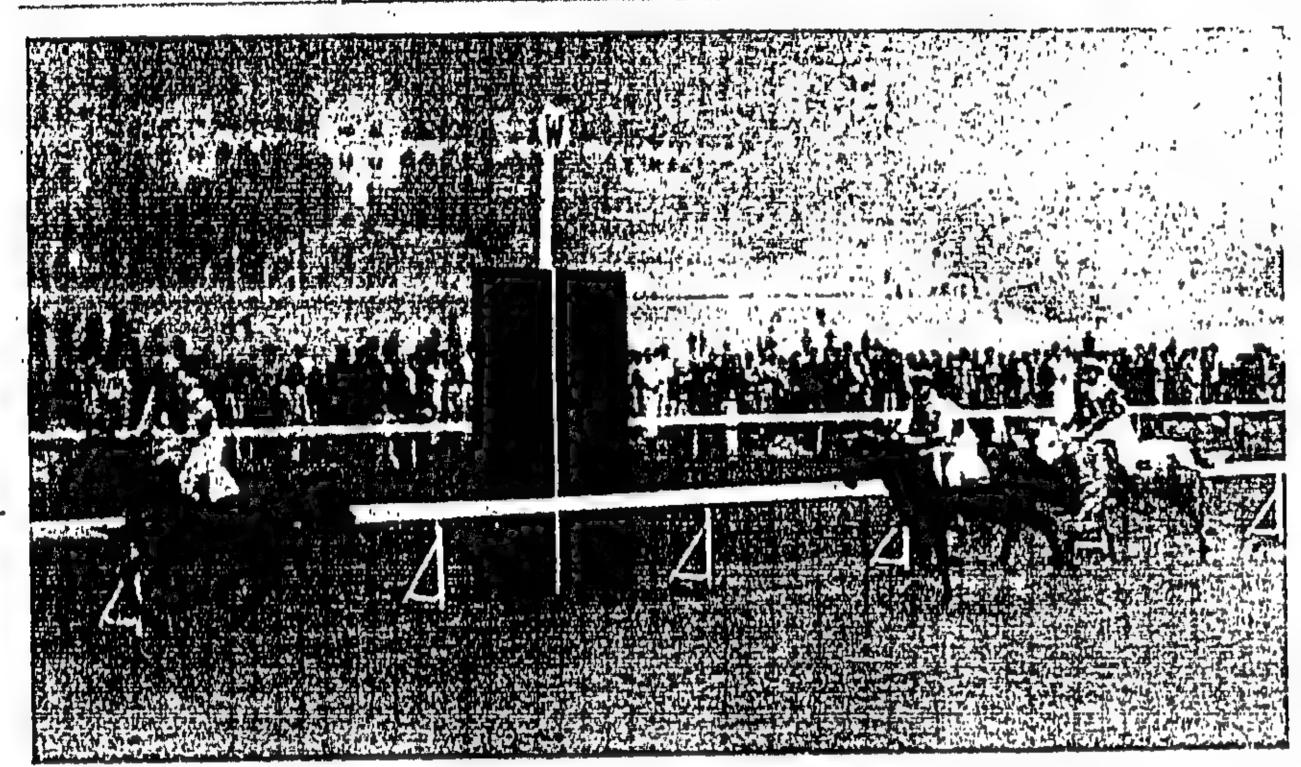
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member of the suite to the delega-

appointed Ambassador

MR. CORDELL HULL'S

SYMPATHY

Expressing deep regret over the

of friendship between Japan and the

United States in the past five years.

Mr. Hull pointed out that Am-

bassador Saito always showed great

occurrence of many difficult problems

the late Ambassador considerably,

The funeral service will be held at

(Continued on Page 4.)

P.O. DELIVERY

As from next Wednesday, local

Early morning deliveries will, it is

It is hoped that in most cases these

extra deliveries will allow air mait

from England and Australia, which

addresses on the night of arrival.

understood, be made at 7 a.m., and

the evening.

in the 6 p.m. delivery.

Washington, Feb. 26.

Obituary

NOTED JAPANESE STATESMAN DIES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26. THE DEATH has occurred of Mr. Hirosi Saito, former Japanes Ambassador to the United States, at the age of 52 .--

Mr. Saito was Japanese Ambassador to Washington from 1934 until last year.

BORDER **BOMBING**

Anglo-Japanese Officials To Visit Scene

ACCORDING TO a "Domei" London Embassy, and attended the message from Tokyo, negotia- first League of Nations Assembly at tions are to commence in Hong- Geneva in 1920. kong shortly for the payment of pointed Consul at Scattle, and in indemnities and other technical 1923 he became Consul-General in affairs in connecting with the New York. bombing outrage last monday.

officers of the Hongkong Government, and will visit the scene of the inci-

"Domei" reports that an official Washington. British communication hunded to the Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, Mr. R. Sawada, by the British Ambassador, Sir Robert Craigie, accepts the settlement offered by the Japanese Government.

Following the informal communica- death of the eminent Japanese tion, which was made on Saturday diplomat, the Secretary of State Mr. morning, the British Ambassador Cordell Hull said that the last called on the Vice Minister and Ambassador, Mr. Hiroshi Salto, had handed a written Note to the contributed much towards promotion Japanese Government.

DAVENTRY REFERENCE

Considerable reference to the during the 9.30 p.m. Weekly News in well and understanding in dealduring the 9.30 p.m. Weekly News ing with various problems between letter broadcast by the Empire Short- Japan and the United States. The wave station at Daventry last night. At the conclusion of the relay, the during his tenure must have strained announcer at ZBW stated:

"To those of our listeners who Mr. Hull added.
heard the relay of the Weekly News The function Letter from Daventry, we would ask the Japanese Embassy here on Tuesthem to remember that the word 'Kowloon' does not convey the same meaning to listeners in England as it

does to us here." The announcement was made on instructions from the Postmuster-General, Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones, who

said this morning: "To residents at Home, the word 'Kowloon' denotes the whole of the Kowloon Peninsula up to the border. "Residents in and near Hongkong deliveries of letters by postmen on listening to the Weekly News Letter the Island and in Kowloon are to be from Daventry last night might have doubled. thought it was a continuation of the The decision will apply to all exdaily news and might have gathered cept rura! areas. the impression that a very recent - In making this announcement tobombing had taken place in Kowloon day, the Postmaster-General, Mr. E. itself. Therefore, I decided to I. Wynne-Jones pleaded with busi-broadcast the statement to correct all ness houses to make arrangements local misapprehension."

NOTHING TO ADD Approached by the "Telegraph"

this morning the Colonial Secretary stated that he had nothing to add to the last delivery will start at 6 p.m. the "Domei" statement.

Evacuation Order

Chungking, Feb. 20. The Government had ordered civi- usually arrives in Hongkong after linns to ovacuate Chungking, Chengtu the existing last delivery, to reach 332, 2031, 1207, and Kwelyang.-United Press.

Australia Repeals barrier. TO PAY FOR WAR!

SYDNEY, Feb. 26.
ACCORDING TO the "Sydney Morning Herald," the Federal Cabinet has decided to repeal the National Insurance Act owing to the high cost of Australia's defence programme.

The Act came into force lbs. (W. G. Poy). last summer and provided for Eve's EVE OF HARVEST 158 lbs. of Tokyo Imperial University, medical benefits under a con- (F. Marshall). Washington in 1910. He was Government nearly £2,000,- Pih). Embassy in London in 1918, and a .- Reuter.

tion to the Pence Conference at Paris DERBY He became second secretary at the SWEEP

gold in the mammoth sweep- side. In 1930 he was Councillor at the stakes on the Hongkong Derby, Representatives of the Japanese director of the Information Bureau close at 2.30 p.m., being extended in the Foreign Office in 1929. close at 2.30 p.m., being extended number two position, next to Lilli-He was Minister to the Netherlands ten minutes in order to cope with ber. for some time, and then, in 1934, the last-minute rush of buyers.

The following numbers were drawn: 404324 \$240,038.40 68,582,40

339686 34.291.20

drawn for starte	rs and non-starte
52.521	339,686
354,761	80,141
440.091	176,765
544.863	364,184
249.157	377,431
479,357	281,939
320,979	211,506
255,265	434,202
403.825	513,451
113,883-	107,255
262,037	40,682
316.452	404,324
37,675	523,764
382,300	67,586
373,349	446,782
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349,367 third ponies, wins \$2,956.10.

The following numbers were drawn in the other Cash Sweeps.

	RACE 1		
No. 1682		\$812.70	
No. 1540		232.20	
NT_ 0070		110.10	
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Unplaced ponic 2072, 2942, 2159,	1407, 1189,	545, 1309,	143
2000 27 700 200	5, 103, 622,	1522, 2714,	52
2660, 37, 700, 2005 631, 1058, 2963. 1	36.		
1000, 2000,			
}	RACE 2		
No. 3100		\$1,414.00	
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Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 2025, 1815, 2034, 3092, 558, 1868, 1902, 579, 3033. RACE 3 for the reception of letters late in

239.60 No. 3499 Unplaced ponice (\$50 each): Nos. 2477, with Navylight. RACE 4 No registered mail will be sent out No. 3824 200.70 No. 2084 RACE 5 \$2054,50 . B87.00 No. 4112 Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): No: 3397.

(Continued on Page 12.)

Field The Whole Distance

WITH A BURST of speed that clipped one and a fifth seconds off Liberty Bay's old record for the mile and a half, Rose Elect this afternoon won the Hongkong Derby.

The diminuitive chestnut pony, carrying 161 lbs. was never in any danger of being overhauled from the time it jumped ahead at the

With C. Encarnacao up, Health Legislation Rose Elect cantered home many lengths ahead of the rest of the field, the final placing being:

1.—ROSE ELECT: 2.—NAVYLIGHT. 3.-EVE OF HARVEST.

There were only five starters. the field being: Eu Tong-sen's BLUE EXPRESS 161

he entered the diplomatic service | tributory scheme which it | Marber's LILLIBER. 161 lbs. (D. Black). and became an Attache at was estimated, would cost the Cire's NAVYLIGHT, 161 lbs. (H. C.

third secretery to the Japanese 000 in the first four years. Eu Tong-sen's ROSE ELECT 161 lbs. (C. Encarnacao).

Twenty-seven entries scratched. Drawers of these ponies in the Derby Sweepstakes, however, participate in the consolation prizes of nearly \$3,000 for each

Lilliber drew best position at the A total of 564,000 tickets were barrier, with Rose Elect on the out-START DELAYED

Navylight, which started one of th hottest favourites of the day, drew

There was considerable delay in starting the race, and the ponies did not get away until 4.10 p.m.

Rose Elect immediately jumped to the front and, with a burst of speed that was astonishing, was almost afteen lengths shead of the other The following numbers were four ponies after the first three furlongs had been passed.

Coming into the straight first time round, Mr. Eu Tong-sen's pony still maintained its remarkable lead, the remainder of the field, fifteen lengths away, being led by Navylight. Eve of Harvest followed, next Blue Express, with Lilliber slightly in the

NAVYLIGHT'S EFFORT

effort to reduce the margin between it and the leader, which was still Chinese Air Force in an intergalloping at a remarkable pace and view with the Central News Council, and the Council's reply to Renter. showed no signs of tiring.

the Japanese Embassy here on Tues- Each number, with the exception reducing Encarnação's lead by about ber of Japanese planes shot three lengths, but as the ponies ber of Japanese planes shot passed the football club the effort down, destroyed, severely damagceased and Rose Elect maintained its ed, or otherwise lost reached the few days have been hurriedly position without further challenge. When the course was half completed Rose Elect was still twelve end of last year. lengths ahead, with Eve of Harvest, Blue Express and Lillber straggling

ENTERING THE STRAIGHT

behind in that order.

As they neared the straight Navylight made another effort to reduce the distance to the leader, and succeeded in clipping off two lengths, drawing away from the rest of the

As the ponies entered the straight, amidst terrific excitement from the pointed out. As a matter of fact, the Council, according to a Shanghai respectators, succeeded in drawing level number tallies with that announced port quoting well-informed circles.

whips plying vigorously on all three ponies. Blue Express, which also made a

challenge fell out of the struggle. Navylight gradually drew away from Eve of Harvest as the ponies flashed (Continued on Page 12.)

RODE WINNER DERBY



C. ENCARNACAO, who rode Rose Elect in the Derby to win in record time.

Shanghai Tension

DECLARATION OF WAR

Japanese Circle Settlement With "Live" Barbed-Wire

TOKYO, Feb. 26. "WE CANNOT but announce a silent declaration of war against the Shanghai International Settlement, and British and French vessels which are nothing but an extension of the Settlement in assisting the Chiang Kni-shek regime with the Yangtse as a base," declares a statement issued by the Japanese-sponsored Nanking Government, according to the "Domei News Agency."

JAPANESE TERRIFIC AIR LOSS

CHUNGKING, Feb. 27. REVEALING THE TREMEN- regime." As the ponies passed the grand DOUS strain on the Japanese disclosed that since the begin- the Jupanese requests,-Reuter. Pih, on Navylight, succeeding in ning of the war, the total num-

> monthly loss of more than 56 planes throughout the eighteen months since the start of hostilities in July, 1937. With the opening of the current notice.-Reuter. year, the Japanese air force has further suffered the loss of 24 planes. including fifteen heavy bombers of the latest type recently bought from Europe, bringing the grand total to more than 1,030 machines.

Nor was the above figure an ex- attitude in regard to the Japanese Eve of Harvest made a bid and, aggerated estimate, the spokesman demands on the Shanghai Municipal by the Japanese Air Force head-1 Details in this connection, how-Navylight and Eve of Harvest quarters on January 20 last them-ever, cannot be ascertained. selves, which stated that 710 military It is learned that the American kong Cricket Club on the Club straight after Rose Elect, the lockeys' and naval planes were lost and 300 Consul-General, Mr. Clarence E. ground. K. M. Buxter 23. A. Baker more were damaged and rendered Gauss and other officials in the con- 5 for 15 in 11 overs, four maidens. unfit for service during the period.

221 SHOT DOWN

(Continued on Page 4.)

The statement announces that the Nunking Government has detailed troops and militiamen round the terroristle demonstrations."

brand British and French vessels and British Aren." the International Settlement as an So far, however, there has been no enemy if Britain and France don't editorial comment. reconsider a change in the attitude | The Diplomatic Correspondent of of assisting the Chiang Kai-shek the "Daily Telegraph" reports that

Meanwhile, the Japanese authorities on the position. stand Navylight made a gallant Air Force, a spokesman of the in Shanghal are apparently dissatis- On the other hand the situation in fied with what they describe as the Tientsin is being watched in London lukewarm measures of the Municipal with rather more than anxiety.-

SETTLEMENT BESIEGED Tientsin, Feb. 26.

Japanese troops during the past

AMERICAN ATTITUDE FIRM IN SHANGHAI

Chungking, Feb. 27. The American consular authorities in Shanghai are maintaining a firm

sulate have been working overtime day and night to maintain close contact with Washington, reminiscent of Analysing this figure, the spokes- the conditions during the Sinoman revealed that of the total of Jananese Fostilities in 1932 and 1937. -Central News.

AGREE

LONDON, Feb. 26. THE EXECUTIVE of the Jewish Agency has decided to reject the British plan for the pacification of Palestine.

The proposals which the British Government will submit to the Palestine conference tomorrow are understood to have been considered at a prolonged meeting of the Arab delegates last night,

The main feature of the proposals, it is understood, will be the suggestion of a round table conference to be held in the autumn on the lines of the round table conferences which preceded the new constitutions in India and Egypt, and invitations to the conference will be issued by the King on behalf of the Government, not only to political representatives of Palestine and Britain, but also to constitutional experts.

It is auggested that the British representation also include members of the opposition parties, in order to place the future Palestine policy

above party politics.
It is believed that British Government has expressed the desire to see self-government established in Palestine, although it has clearly indicated that it does not favour immediate establishment

Subjects for discussion at the conference would doubtless include not only those on which agreement has been found impossible during the present talks, but also on the question of a treaty with Britain providing safeguards for British interests in Palestine, and for the various communities.

Meanwhile, it is understood that it is proposed to extend the advisory and executive councils to include unofficial members, both Jew and Arab, nominated by the High Commissioner. "Unofficial" members of the executive council, whose title may be altered to the Council of Ministers, mny be Ministers without

PREMATURE REJOICING

Jerusalem, Feb. 26. As a result of rumours that the British Government had accepted the Arab demand at the Palestine conference, and that an Independent (Continued on Page 4.)

LATEST

S'HAI THREAT

London, Feb. 27. The threat of possible Japanese action in the International Settle-Settlement as a "precautionary ment in Shanghai is given much promeasure against further outbreaks of minence in morning newspapers. The stories are splashed under such It adds: "We won't hesitate to Settlement" "Japan's Threat to

there is no fresh official information

Azana To Resign

Paris, Feb. 27. President Azana will probably anhigh figure of 1,010 up to the erecting barricades and installing live nounce resignation as soon as formal electric wires round the British and Anglo-French recognition of Insur-This figure, he said, represents a Exits from the Concessions, through His resignation will probably be which communication is now allow- accompanied by a declaration that. ed, could be closed at a moment's in his opinion, the Loyalists should

give up their struggles. Del Vayo is credited with the intention of leaving Paris for Madrid. where he will share the fate of his colleagues in the Negrin Government, whatever that may be,-Reuter,

CRICKET

Volunteers 91 out all against Hong-

See Back Page For Farther Late News

ONLY ONE KILT AT SCOTTISH SHOW

THE only kilt at the private view recently of the Scottish Art Exhibition, at the Royal Academy, was in a frame.

The laird had for the occasion changed into morning coat, lavender grey waistcoat, and a pair of spats, said "How d'you do?" and did the social round on the edge of the gilt frames as the English do once a year.

The only Glengarry present was a satin one with a bunch of ospreys in

There was a time-two hundred years ago-when the chicftain was ped his feet in it.

The full Highland dress, in a glass case, had tight-fitting trousers with tortan socks and soles all in one.

There is a picture, painted in 1665, Archibald Prize, recognised as the tortan socks and soles all in one.

Company of Edinburgh Golfers, painters, driving off on the links with a thistle at his heel.

He wore black velvet knee defeated some of Australia's leading driving off on the links with a thistle

breeches, a red hunting coat, bows protrait painters. of ribbon above his calf, and his club looked like a long-handled hockey stick. His golf ball is number- the Consul-General for the Nethered for identification purposes.

RUBY GARLANDS

There is the whole history of Scottish dress in the exhibition from the early days when kilts were garlanded, of still-life, especially flowers and with rubles round the waist and the fruit. blade of the dirk was sharp, to the decadent '80's when the tartan was a dressing-gown and the chieftain wore n white cloth like an icebag round his head.

Nearly all the portraits are of men -they seem to have possessed all the beauty and vanity of the period. worked by Mary Queen of Scots that Miscricordia here which calls for an a bigger crowd; an evening gown that; wheat. College officials are seeking Prince Charles once danced with; and to trace the heirs of the mortgagor a still-life of grouss and fruit.

lows:--

by Japanese military action?

settlement of these claims?

Government?

Government.

trade interests.

Shameen?

shipping.

privileges?

Majesty's Ambassador.

Mr. Butter: My hon, Friend will

be aware that claims of this kind are

usually settled at the end of hostili-

Prime Minister under what rule of Tokyo.

proach to the British concession at

Mr. Butler: The Japanese allege

that they are conducting military

operations which would be impeded

by the movements of third-party

Prime Minister whether he has re-

celved any statement from the

Japanese Government on the ques-

tion of the reopening of the Yangtsze

Commander Marsden asked the

Compensation for

Firms in China

Woman Wins Art Prize

of the first kilt, rather like a shrunken muerdon of Australian art, has been petticent, and a picture of the origin- won by a woman. She is Miss Nora al golfer. It is William St. Clair, of Roslin, captain of the Honourable one of Australia's greatest landscape

The portrait she submitted was o Madame Elink Schuurmann, wife of

Miss Heysen, who recently returned from London, was not formerly well-known as a portrait painter, but was regarded as an eminent exponent

Mortgage Runs 138 Years

Attorneys have discovered an unsettled, 138-year-old mortgage on 120 There is a piece of embroidery acres now occupied by the College of to obtain clear title to the land.

detailed statement at present.

ports in China?

accept such a general statement. | frequent representations in the mat-

questions dealing with Japanese has pleaded military necessity as the

interference with legitimate British justification for the action taken.

Commander Marsden asked the by His Majesty's Ambassador

ernment are taking action to prevent recently been extended to Weihalwei

River as the natural means of ap- being closely watched.

There were also a number of ter to his Japanese colleague, who

CHINA AND JAPAN

The matter has also been taken up

British

LONDON'S A.R.P. TRENCHES THERE was 5ft. 6ins. of muddy water in A.R.P.

is no better than the rest but drew annual pyament of 90 bushels of trenches on Primrose Hill, N.W., recently forty days after the Home Office circular to local authorities asking them to make trenches permanent by steel and concrete reconstruction.

St. Moritz, famed summer and winter resort of the Swiss Alps,

brings many noted persons together from throughout the world.

A recent visitor there was Dr. Milan Stoyadinovitch, Premier of

Yugo-Slavia, shown as he surveyed the winter activities.

Gracie's No' To time. The trenches were expected to overflow. 4 Shows A Day

the Far East were asked in the House of Commons of England recently, was asked by recently. The question of claims for compensation received from Twatieth Century Films to appear on British firms in China was raised by Sir Charles Cayzer, as fol- the New York stage for one week.

And Gracie was willing-on con-Sir Charles Cayzer asked the Prime | Minister whether, in view of the re- ditions.

of claims for compensation received from British firms in China in rest the members of the League to peet of destruction of their property examine the proposals of the Chinese York audiences want to see what I by Japanese militage retire? Government for certain measures of can do, I must give 'em my whole Str. Butler: Nearly 300 claims for economic assistance, His Majesty's bag of tricks and two shows a day amounts totalling over £230,000, on Government propose to make any will be enough."

Gracie added that Mr. Daryl account of destruction, confiscation, response to the request of the Gracie added that Mr. Daryl damage or looting, have so far been Chinese Government for assistance? Zanuck wanted her to stay in Hollybeen presented to the Japanese Mr. Butler: Certain proposals of the Chinese Government for econoSir C. Cavzer: Con see state to mic against the Chinese Government for econo-

> "I'm afraid if I came here for good, Hollywood might make me-half and Mr. R. Morgan asked the Prime half and use the wrong halves," she Minister what action he has taken said.

Sir Henry Morris-Jones: Can my with reference to the refusal of the "Maybe later they'll get to know right hon. Friend give the approxi- Japanese authorities to allow goods me better; in fact they're beginning

mate total cost of the damage aus- to be exported from Tsingtao when to now. the exports have been financed "A few weeks back I felt it was Mr . Butler:-I cannot do more through foreign bankers by means useless to do splits and cartwheel; than give the amount of the claims. of Chinese national currency; and for American applause. But now, if Mr. A. V. Alexander: What reply whether such refusal has been ex- they'll let me do my job in my owr has been received from the Japanese lended to any other and, if so, what way, I'll get 'em to like me as well ns English folks do."

Mr. Butler: Their receipt has Mr. Butler: There have been been acknowledged by the Japanese cases in recent months in which the Japanese authorities at Tsingtao He Guarded Mr. Thorne: Is it not true that have refused to permit exports, the Japanese have made a declara- either on the ground mentioned by tion that they will not pay commy hon. Friend or without assign-hensation for damaged property? my hon. Friend or without assign-ing any reason. His Majesty's Con-Mr. Butler: I should not like to sul-General at Tsingtao has made

Inspector Edmund Dear retired recently from his post as Metropolitan police chief at Windsor Castle. He was formerly personal detective afraid of exceeding Home Office to the Duke of Windsor and was one A.R.P. grants.
of the few who knew beforehand that The Home the Duke was to broadcast to the International law the Japanese Gov- The system of export permits has nation after his abdication.

.Inspector Dear served twenty-six British vessels from using the Pearl and Chefoo, where the situation is years in the force and was appointed to Windsor Castle in 1934.

The flood was rising all the

Paneras Borough Council, who are responsible for the trenches, said:-"We are at present experimenting with other trenches in Regent's Park. One section there is being concreted. When we have ascertained the cost of concreting and roofing this specimen section, we shall go into the question of costs tions she danced until two in the for the whole trench system with morning.

the Home Office." The object of the Home Office plan but now I always go and dance the was to enable local authorities which night before." adopted it to go ahead with the work It was Joan's first attempt to win without further reference to the a scholarship. Home Office

WATCHMAN GUARDS But local authorities are debating

Friend hold out any hope of an early tion, but I am not able to make a tinued, she might agree to work in trenches dug by order of Hampstead A watchman stood beside them. His job was to stop children falling i

in-because if they had fallen in mud and water. Hampstead Borough Council's A.R.P. department

council are considering the question in the light of the Home Office request. It is a bit early to say yet what will be done about the tren-

Half-finished trenches in St. James's, Park, near the Admiralty, are railed off from the public walks. Notice boards read: "It is dangerous to go near these trenches."

The depth of water in them is about 2ft. Westminster City Council are uncertain about their future. They say: "Some are to | be filled in, some are not." The council, like other authorities, are counting the cost of making trenches permanent. They are

The Home Office circular issued on November 25 informed local authorities that they could count on obtaining a twelve-year loan sanction for expenditure involved, including that on preliminary work, and claim A.R.P. grants at the appropriate 'rate on the annual

A.R.P. expenditure, including that

on_trenches, is borne up to 60 per cent, by the Government and up to 40 per cent, by the local nuthority. The twelve-year loan sanction was

believed to have been adopted to deal with semi-permanent work.

RADIOLYMPIA THIS YEAR

There will be a Radiolympia, after

The scheme for a £50,000 cooperative advertising campaign to replace it was turned down by a Men rushed from all parts of the meeting of radio manufacturers

Commander Marsden: In view of row.

the fact that the Japanese are trad
The was in charge of mixing the of his mater. "By an extraordinary industry was committed to the hire of the fact that the Japanese are tradcoincidence the sand started to flow Olympia, so that unless the exhibition us Martindale jumped. It was as were held it would mean a financial

Concrete Mixers Taxed

Celevland, O. stand that the Government acquiresce make it flow more easily he jumps on in the holding up of British shipping; make it flow more easily he jumps on on the Spaulding wildfowl refuge tar spreaders here now must take out the sand in the mouth of the hopper. That is what Martindale did but a have been shipped to Peter Scott, red by Chief Police Prosecutor Gerald second before his feet, touched the British ornithologist, who asked that Pilllod. The licenses cost \$200 and the sand in the mouth of the hopper. That is what Martindale did but a before his feet, touched the British ornithologist, who asked that Pilllod. The licenses cost \$200 and the sand in the mouth of the hopper. The sand in the sand in the mouth of the hopper. The sand in the sand in the mouth of the hopper. The sand in the sand in the mouth of the hopper. The sand in the sand in the mouth of the hopper. The sand in the sand in the mouth of the hopper. The sand in t

Modern Toys "Too Perfect"

Your children probably play with mechanically-perfect toys, realistic dolls, and teddy-bears. But are they as happy and carefree as you were with less claborate things to amuse

Miss Ethel Strudwick, headmistress of St. Paul's Girls' School, who describes herself as "a thoroughly old-fashioned woman" thinks not. Speaking at the Public Health Conference in London recently, she said:

"When I think of an old carpenter's bench in the corner of my father's studio on which was perched a doll's house consisting of a wooden box on end, I wonder whether this newfound passion for giving children baby dolls exactly like the real thing, or teddybears all glorious with plush, is really making them happier than did the old make-believe toys which left so much to the imagination."

THIS REALISTIC AGE

Miss L. H. Crocker, of the Pioneer Health Centre, Peckham, commenting to the News Chronicle on this statement admitted its truth, but added;

"Miss Strudwick's statement is no argument against a realistic doll. When she was a child she probably had some levely toys herself, but she remembers only those most familiar to her and those she used for her own Imaginative purposes.

"We live in an age of skill, so the child of this age must have technically perfect toys or be separated from the reality of his environment. Miss Strudwick, asked to reply to this, observed:

"I had not lovely toys, and did not miss them. It is a great pity that the F1328. I'm Singing A Song For The Old Folks. F.T. children of to-day do not live in a simpler age, for their own sakes, poor

"I notice that children who are simply brought up to know the real pleasures of fresh air and the open F1320. country are much happier than those who live in nurseries crowded with elaborate mechanical toys."

Girl Dances Till 2 a.m. To Pass Exams. The A.R.P. department of St.

Stanley, Co. Durham. Few people can hope to win one open scholarship at Oxford or Cambridge, but Joan Charlton, 18-yearsold daughter of a Stanley colliery clerk, has just won two-one at each

And on the eve of both examina-

"Rod" Turns Into Snake

Cookslown, Australia. Bitten on the foot by a snake, William Howard reached down for a stick with which to kill it, but the "stick" turned out to be another. they might have drowned in the snake, which bit him on the arm, Prompt medical attention saved



thad done as I was toldwouldn't have this nasty cold!

Give me



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JOE DANIELS & HIS HOT SHOTS IN DRUMMASTICKS. You're Lovely Madame. ["Stranded In Paris".) F.R. What Have You Got That Gets Mc. F.T.

F1321. Two Sleepy People. ("Thanks For The Memory".) Sixty Seconds Got Together. F.T. KAY KYSER & HIS ORCHESTRA.

F1303. I've Got A Pocketful of Dreams. ("Sing You Simmers".) Q.S. When Mother Nature Sings Her Lullaby. Waltz. F1304. Two Sleepy People. ("Thanks For The Memory".) C.F.T. Summer' End. Q.S. Marvellous. Tango. F1305. My Tango Dream. Tango.
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Shameen, Canton.

Mr. Bisher: 10, 311.
Mr. A. Henderson asked the Prime sand, the sand freed itself and started 80 such birds be sent him if possible. 4300. Mr. Britter: No. Sir.

for passengers and goods for trans-

port, will my right hon. Friend see

Sucked Under By Tons Of Sand In A Mixer WITH a doctor standing by, a gang of men worked River, and the inland waterways of desperately at Greenford, Middlesex, recently, to rescue

the Yangtsze basin to foreign shipa fellow-workman who was buried in 18 tons of sand in Mr. Butler: No statement has a mixer. been received from the Japanese Government on this subject subse- The drama was at the works to flow. As Martindale landed the all, this year.

was communicated to the Japanese When, after an hour's work, the Minister, for Foreign Affairs by His man was reached, he was dead, Majesty's Ambassador in Tokyo on 32, of Wellington-road, Roxeth, Har-

ing on the river and are advertising materials for the night shift work. "NOT A CHANCE" In the factory vast, quantities of

that our ships have the same very fine sand and other materials are poured.into the mixers through a Mr. Butter: That is the reason for gigantic funnel, sometimes the narrow Imports the evidence submitted by His neck of the funnel checks the flow. Usually when this occurs the man in Mr. Alexander: Are we to under- charge frees it with a long pole; somestand that the Government acquiesce times, however, if he thinks he can different varieties, which took refuge All owners of concrete mixes and

quent to their note of 14th November, 1938. Further evidence of Ltd.

Ine drama was at the works to flow. As Martindale landed the bar, 1938. Further evidence of Ltd.

building and started to dig frontically, pesterday.

"It was only the smallest chance | Officials of the Radio Manufacthough he was going down in quick- loss. sand. He did not stand a chance."

Willows, Cal.

Thirty wild geese, of half a dozen

MYSTERY OF BRITISH FILM STUDIOS EMPIRE

WITHILE three new British films are packing cinemas up and down the country, British studio floors are only 10 per cent, active. Why is this?

Biggest success of the year which was seen by 130,000 Woman's Record As people at the Empire, Leicestersquare, W., in one week,

'PYGMALION' RECORD

This audience would keep a West End play going for more than five months.

"Sixty Glorious Years," generally by many halis.

"Pygmalion" has broken box-office records at Hastings, Brighton, Coventry, Chesterfield and Luton. The largest hall in Sydney, N.S.W., has booked it for a three months

Yet to-day only eight films are being made on the 80 British studio floors, as against the peak figure of 30 in 1936.

This paradoxical prosperity is striking. The answer is simply one of finance.

CITY IS SHY

the attitude of a man who, having transport section. gold mines."

1939 will probably see a change in body. the backing of British films. Instead of financing productions costing £100,000 on the doubtful gamble of the United States market, pictures costing from £25,000 to £40,000 will be encouraged. At least 40 films of this grade are already planned by Mr. Michael Balcon at Ealing, Mr. Walter Mycroft at Elstree, and Mr. Edward Black at the Gainsborough studies.

BABIES IN COLD STORAGE!

save the lives of five babies who day of his honeymoon. collapsed during a heat wave at Grimth, N.S.W.

placed in the Griffith Producers' cool could be hiding. stores, where a moderate temperature was specially maintained.

Their parents ant beside the bebies from New York. during a week-end.

BEERA

Ground Engineer

certificate of a ground engineer, be- tax on flour to finance the subsidy longs to Mrs. G. R. Bell, who recently to wheat growers. There is to be a arrived in Brizbane with her husband, local consumption price of 4s, 8d, a who is Queensland Traffle Manager of bushel. Airlines of Australia.

released recently, is taking on the bir-linison officer with the R.A.A.F., total production, and the overseas average 35 per cent, more than in London 10 years ago, his wife, who will the Great." It has been has always been intensely interested backed solid for four and five weeks in aeroplanes, trained for her certimates and the weeks in aeroplanes, trained for her certimates and the second training of the second training and the overseas in the second training of the sec ficate with the de Haviland Company tax to the bread consumer by inin Stag Lane.

> "It didn't seem to me particuwhen talking of her award, "My number was 444, which shows that 443 other people had obtained cerlificates before me."

A GREAT HELP With her qualifications, Mrs. Bell JAMAICA should be of great help to the CENSUS TO BE TAKEN aviation section of the Women's De-The "Ere," official mouthpiece of fence Legion, of which Mrs. E. F. cinema showmen, declares bluntly: Finlay is in charge, and in which

been caught by a share-pusher, re- Although the section is yet in its 1931 a request for a census was refuses to deal with the Stock Ex- infancy, plans are being formulated, jected by the Council on the ground change. Having bought gold bricks, for training and drill, and Mrs. Bell of economy. it will not admit the existence of hopes to provide her volunteers with MAURITIUS facilities for driving heavy vehicles, convoy driving, and driving as a

Women of any age from 17-50 are acceptable as volunteers, if they can drive a car, a motor bent, or a motor cycle, ride a horse or a bleyele, know anything about mechanics, or would accept positions as cleaners or order-

Indian Bride Runs Away

New York. Unusual measures were taken to should have been spending the first daily transporting men in special to the radio until indinight,

sweetheart, an exotic Indian under-On the advice of doctors they were graduette. Bonnie Bee Berryhill,

While he was making final plans marriage. I have run away."

NEWS

AUSTRALIA

FLOUR EXCISE TAX OPPOSED

SYDNEY. A strong agitation has developed THE honour of being the only in Socialist circles against the Govwoman in Queensland to hold the ernment's imposition of an Excise

Wheat used in Australia only When Squadron-Leader Bell was amounts to about one-third of the creasing the price by 1s. a 2lb. loaf Labour admits that the wheatlarly clever," said Mrs. Bell, grower must be helped, but centends that this should be done out of

general taxation revenue. Physical Education Chief .-- Mr. Gordon Young, until recently Direc-Born in Tasmanie, Mrs. Bell has for of Physical Education at the spent a lot of time abroad, and next Y.M.C.A. in London, has arrived to to aeroplanes, riding is her chief become the first Director of Physical hobby. She has one daughter, aged Education to the New South Wales

NEXT YEAR

"The City's confidence has been sadly Mrs. Bell has shown her interest by | The Legislative Council recently shaken. Nevertheless, it is adopting consenting to take charge of the decided to take a census of the island next year at a cost of £25,000. In

LAND SETTLEMENT FOR UNEMPLOYED

Port Louis. new land settlement plan in the since then daylight, or anything Midlands district to relieve un- white, caused agony to his eyes. employment in the sugar cane plantations in the northern and western parts of the island. The drought this year has caused heavy destruction of cane.

The unemployed began a march | on the capital, asking for a dole or work, but were stopped by the night:-

The co-operation between the new Recently, Arthur Ochiltree, Scot- Labour Department and planters is tish-born New York opera star, bearing fruit. The Government is trains from the workless districts to Instead, he is wondering where his the less affected areas where work

tree: "I can't go through with the adorable, spoiled brat and a head- and a grotto of shells which were imagination. A telegram to friends told Ochil- strong kid, but I still love her."



High enthusiasm greeted French Premier Edouard Daladier as he arrived in Bizeria, Tunisia, to inspect France's Marcth line of fortifications between French North Africa and Italian Libya. Here he is welcomed by Tunisian children.

For 80 Years He

COMBE HAY-(near Bath, Somerset). AFTER living in terror of daylight for eighty years, Mr. George Edward Smart, Lord of the Manor of Combe Hay, was carried by villagers to Combe Hay church just after dusk recently to lie in his cossin before the altar in the darkness he loved.

When he was nine years old, h.s. eyes were injured while he was at The Government recently began a play with a school triend. Ever

> Life was unbearable unless he turned day into night, night into day. He died at the age of eighty-nine.

One of the staff of the Manor

House of Combe Hay told me to-"Mr. Smart slept all day with his

room closely shuttered against the daylight. As soon as it was dark he "Then he would have his lunch and go out for a drive in his car before returning for his tea. Just

before dawn he would go back to In the beautiful gardens of Combe or historic merits, contains blunders Hay Manor, where there is a lake, and improbable or ingenious incidents for the marriage, his flancee fied Mr. Ochiltree said: "She is an Mr. Smart built an Italian garden calculated to evoke mirth rather than

> sent from all over the world. The lake, the grotto and the garden he saw only by moonlight. One of his greatest interests was agricultural three, but he could visit agricultural shows only at night, long after they had closed for the day.

He used to go round the cattle portunely recalls that the creation of tents and other exhibits with a

anything printed on white paper. ago, in his young days, he made the Though the villagers of Combe Hay manor famous for its parties and hardly ever saw their lord of the manor, he was immensely popular night.

Suez Film Not To Be Banned

A Paris Court recently rejected two applications for a ban on the film film is based on a romance woven Every Wed. & Fri. ... from Kunming to Hanoi round the building of the Suez Canal. The application was made by M. Paul de Lessens, a son of Ferdinand grandnephew of Empress Eugenic, who is represented in the film by Loretta Young.

Giving the court's decision, Judge Maillefaud declared: "This film. which has no claim to literary, artistic

"It contains no passage likely to b

"Though foreign, the film very op-

His servants had to read to him with them for his generosity. Years

"Private Room On Wheels For Basil And Betty"

A profound change in the relation of the sexes had been brought about by the intention of the automobile, said Professor G. V. Portus, of Adelaide University, to the history section of the Science Congress. Basil could now meet Betty in a private room on wheels, and nobody could say nay, he added.

NEW complaints of "snobbery" by members of Hastings Downs Golf Club towards artisan members were made at Hastings Town Council cutting trees at Doorn, was saying 20 meeting recently.

Councillor Riddle, who made charges of snobbery at the council's last meeting, quoted from the letter, which was written by an artisan The head of the civic administration. member: "The other day some of our chaps

was taking his shot one of the gentlemen said: 'We are allowed to play through you.' "ONLY ARTISANS" "The artisan said: 'We are sorry,

but you have cut in, and so lose your right to the course. The gentlemen refused, saying 'You are only artisan members; you are not of the same standing as us."

"As for the matches they (the full members) claim to have played with us, we have had one since the club has been formed. We don't approach them for a game because of liule 16, which states that no artisan member is permitted to play with a member of the parent club except by invitation of the matter of the latter. tion of the latter.

am sure are with me. I thank you at the club."

Professor Portus also said: "If Snob Insult' Hardy, he probably will answer Laurel." After strongly criticising the old method of teaching history, with its emphasis on the doings of royalty and on wars, he said things were better now.

The old form of history, about the

years ago that he was God's vice-The Council was again considering the proposal to grant £100 a year to the club. The proposal was carried by 24 votes to 11.

years ago that he was God's vice-regent on earth, you heard speaking no modern king but an Elector of Hanover of 400 years ago," said Professor Portus.

fessor Portus.

tion section of the Department of the were playing when four so-called Interior, Mr. C. S. Daley, said he regentlemen cut in. Just as an artisan gretted the absence of an historical background in Australia compared

with other divisions of the world.

With a knowledge of Australian history and its storied enterprise, and substituting Australia for England, Browning's question could be repeated: "Here and here did Australia help me: How can I help Australia?—say," and in purposeful action find the satisfactory answer.

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The Manila Market was dull with the majority of prices unchanged. However, Atok showed a loss of 11/2 centavos while Mambulao Consolidated lost 1 centavo. Other changes were on the up side, ranging from 14 to 2 centavos. Saturday's volume of business done was 172000 Pesos.

CITIZENSHIP SOUGHT

Fort Brogg, Cal. her naturalization papers at the age | years, enjoys the best personal relaof 82. She was born in Finland in tions with German official circles, and had also been arrested as "an enemy under the direction of Mr. Fung Hin-1856 and had been in this country it is assumed that he will work for of the people" for having falled to chung. (for 50 years. She wants to cast her a German-American agreement. ballot as an American citizen.

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December, 1938. The Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from Saturday, 4th March, 1939 to Saturday, 11th March, 1939 (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, KAN TONG PO, Chief Manager. Hongkong, 17th February, 1939.

Iran Crown On Way

Baghdad, Feb. 26, The Crown Prince of Iran, Mohamed Resa, now on his way to by but firmly disbelieved in such Cairo to sign the marriage contract apathy. for his alliance with the Egyptian Princess Fawzia, arrived here to-day, H. M. Stay, E. M. Luke, I. C. Ryan, The Prince was met at the Iraqi frontier by Prince Abdul Ilah, and

the deputy Prime Minister. At the Baghdad railway station the Prince was welcomed by Prince Zeid, representing the King, and was accompanied by members of the

Iraqi Cabinet. In the evening, King Ghazi gave a banquet in the royal palace in honour of the guest.

Signature of the marriage will be

CHINESE PAINTINGS Exhibition Opened

An exhibition of art by eight Chinese painters was opened at St. John's Cathedral Hall on Saturday. Works were shown by Leung Yik-yu, Woo Kim-um, Wong Ting-ping, Au Siuyim, Cheung Sun-cho, Cheung Siusek, Che Hei and Chiu Shiu-ngong. Joint pletures by Mr. Wong and Mr. Leung, and Mr. Wong and Mr Woo were included; the two artists have combined in several attractive studies of birds and animals in na-

tural settings. Mr. Woo's individual pictures stood out by reason of his characteristic lofty perspectives and neat detail. Mr. Au showed special aptitude in his studies of fish, delicately seen

through the water. The most striking exhibits; however, were by Mr. Cheung Siu-sek, turn. who had given his imagination rem ! b. length pictures of old time Chinese land.

10 b. country people. The exhibition closes at 7 p.m. to-

STOCK MARKET REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange Cald: Macg. (Pre.), Sh. \$ 13 n. official summary issued at 12.00 noon, February 25, says: There was more interest shown the market during the short session but shares were difficult to obtain.

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U.S. DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENT

Berlin, Feb. 26. Political circles welcome the ap- and sabotaged the resche work by pointment of Mr. Raymond Geist, conveying incorrect weather infirst secretary at the American Em- formation. bassy, to the post of Charge d'Affaires, replacing the late Mr. Prentiss suspicious and radioed notice of his

It is emphasised that Mr. Geist. Mrs. Kalsa Gerberg has taken out who has been in Berlin for eight

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Reuter. '

JAPANESE WOMEN

Australian Teachers Told Of Struggle

"cabbages and kings" was well aired at a recent round-table chat in Tokyo when a party of educated Japaneso women entertained five Australian the "Name York Times" states that teachers who were in Japan as the guests of the Board of Tourist In-

The Australian teachers, who passed through Hongkong on Saturday on their way home by the Kamo Maru, heard with particular interest the story of the struggle which Japanese women are making for suffrage. In the vehemence of their claim the Japanese women exhibited much of the spirit of the British suffragettes.

to learn that the Australian woman regards the vote, very much as a matter of course; in fact, as rather a

The teachers-Misses E. Hanger, reported to be bringing proposals and A. M. Pitiman-reported that they had been lavishly, almost exhaustingly, entertained and that their tour had been thoroughly delightful. "We seem to have been a success," Miss Pittman commented, "for they are talking of inviting 10 Australian teachers next year."

Highlights of Tour

In a tour that was a crowded series nuide on March 16, and the Crown of experiences the highlights were, Prince and Princess will go to Teheran perhaps, both associated with the where the festivities will be held radio. One of these was the occafrom April 21 to April 24.—Trans- sion of a gathering of 3,000 teachers in Tokyo at which Miss Stay, taking her first turn in the long round of speech-making, delivered an address that was broadcast throughout Japan.

The feature of this occasion was the performance of the ceremonial in Hampton Court Palace .- Trans-St. John's Cathedral Hall Bugaku, or musical play, played out- Ocean. side the Court for the special benefit of the Australian visitors. At the conclusion of the function a great choir sang, very beautifully, the "Kimigayo," or Japanese National Anthem, and followed it with "God Save The King."

> Misses Hanger and Ryan were the stars in the other radio event, when they broadcast on short wave to Australia. "We will bring back to Rangoon to Kunming on March 20, Australia with us the memory of a most charming people and a beauti- the Sino-American China National have been deeply impressed with the from Chungking to Rangoon.—United well-equipped schools, where the Press. children's progress is so carefully watched. Everything is done to make them familiar with homecraft. We have found the greatest goodwill and friendship towards us at every

Miss Hanger had the satisfaction of n. in two allegorical subjects and had learning that every word was heard also produced some excellent full by her people in Gympie Queens-

Cheered By Children

The teacher is supposed to be an ogre to children, but the Japanese children gave the Australian visitors a friendly and often effusive welcome. Children waving flags met them at schools and at railway stopping places; the flags were normally Australian and Japanese, but there was one amusing slip-up when the children turned out flourishing only American and Japanese flags. This, however, could be understood as there is a regular interchange of goodwill missions between Japan and America. One gathering of children - and on a Sunday afternoon, toonumbered 2,000.

apparently honest impression that other in Essex.-Trans-Ocean. they were bringing peace to China. Only in one case did they hear another view; that was when a man said to them: "You see how crowded we are here. That is why we are invading China."

Russia

Trial Of Radio Operator

Moscow, Feb. 26. Five hundred Polar fliers, workers. and journalists sat in the crowded court room to hear the opening of the trial of Mikhail Vosnissensky, NORMA SHEARER ILL chief wireless operator at Tikhaya Bay in the Arctic regions, who is accused of mulicious counter-revolutionary activity, including sabotage suffering from a throat infection and Members of the local Y's Men's of the search for the famed Soviet is very ill, according to the doctor. Club will meet Mr. Paul Stermer, Arctic aviator, Levanevsky, who, Her condition is stated to be not Past President of the Honolulu Y's with a crew of five, perished while alarming at present, although her Men's Club, at a special meeting in flying from Moscow to America in temperature rose to 105 degrees last

It is alleged against Vosnissensky that he hampered the search by delaying messages and shutting off his wireless set.

. The accused, giving evidence, pleaded in barely audible tones: "I wasn't able to stand the conditionsthe long hours and the monotonyany longer and became physically

-He admitted that he was so tired that he shut off his wireless, did no transmit any important messages from Levanevsky during the flight, British Wireless.

When the Moscow authorities grevi dismissal he suppressed the order. He continued his sabotage activities. The Public Prosecutor revealed that Vosnissensky's chief, Grigoriev, of medern Chinese choral composiin charge of the colony's 27 persons, supervise Vernissensky's work and report his subbtage.--Reuter.

Oil Concerns' New Offer To WANT VOTE Mexican Govt.

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

Washington, Feb. 26. A new formula for the settlement of the dispute arising from Mexico's The woman's point of view on ties is expected to be submitted by

> the "New York Times" states that the companies will offer \$150,000,000 in cash, or credits for the right to operate the expropriated wells for

embodied in an internatonal treaty, and at the end of 50 years, the properties will revert to the Mexican Government. According to a message from Mexico City, Senor Castillo Najera,

Mexican Ambassador to Washington, upon arrival at Mexico City to-day They were consequently surprised reiterated that on general principle, "the return of the exproprlated oil properties is out of the question."

He referred to the forthcoming visit of Messrs, Richberg and bother than a blessing. They polite- liurley representing the Standard-Vacuum Company, and the Sinclair Consolidated Corporation, who are

> connected with the oil controversy to submit to President Cardenas. Senor Najera expressed the opinion that the matter was between Mexico and private interests, and was in no sense an international issue.—Reuter.

Czar's Niece: Sudden Illness

London, Feb. 26. Princess Andrew, niece of the last seriously III to-day.

at the sick bed. The family occupy a suite of rooms

British Planes For Kunming

Kunming, Fcb. 26. Airways planes will begin flying from while passenger and mail planes of

Japanese Raid Two Cities

Linhslen, Kwangtung, Feb. 26. Walchow, East River town in Kwangtung, was attacked by a Japanese plane this afternoon, Four bombs were dropped.

Suwen on the Luichow Peninsula, was also raided. Eight bombs were released, landing in a hospital. No casualties

Balloons Struck By Lightning

Two balloons were struck by lightning and destroyed during balloon barrage manocuvre in England on Sunday. One balloon of a With regard to the war the teachers barrage of six cashed in flames at found the people to be under the Stanmore in Middlesex, and the

M.C.L. FLAG DAY

A successful Flag Day, organised family from San Francisco aboard the by the Ministering League and Mini- N.Y.K. liner Tatsuta Maru on March tering Children's League was held on 30 .- Domet. Saturday, depots being established at the Cheero Club, Hongkong, and the Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon.

On Friday night Mrs. T. H. King broadcast an appeal to the Public to support the Flag Day, the proceeds of which will be devoted to worthy

The total amount collected Saturday will not be known till to-

Hollywood, Feb. 26. The film star Norma Shearer is night,-Reuter.

TRAFFIC CENSUS

London, Feb. 25. A three days detailed census of and developments of the tube system, of London .-- British Wireless.

CHURCH MUSIC

The hall of the Hop Yat Church was again filled to enpacity on Saturday evening, when the second recital tions Liven by the Church's choir,

The proceeds were for the relief of refugees.

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Mr. V. Benwell And Miss K. Winch

Two popular hockey playors were united at St. Andrew's Church on Saturday afternoon, when Miss Kathleen Winch became the bride of Mr. Vincent M. Benwell

THE BRIDE who is he daughter of Mr. S. S. Winch, chargeman of the Civil Establishments, Naval Yard, and Mrs. Winch, of 180a Nathan Road, is a member of the younger social sei, and has made a name for herself in the annual Suitable guarantees regarding taxa- a name for herself in the antion and labour conditions will be Pantomimes of the Y.M.C.A.

by her father, and chose for her wedding dress, a creation of white French figured taffeta, with a veil of net and embroidered satin. The dress was made by Messra, Lane Crawford Ltd. She carried a bouquet of white roses. The Misses Brenda Rowell and Joyce Shirley neted as bridesmaids in dainty frocks of shell pink taffeta. In place of the conventional bouquets they carried novel pink camelia handbags,

The bridegroom, who is a Sanitary Inspector, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Benwell of Warwickshire, England. He is a member of the Y.M.C.A. Hockey Club and H.K. Hockey Club, being the goal-keeper

for the hockey teams. Mr. Robert A. Bates undertook the duties of best man.

The Rev. J. R. Higgs, Vicar of St. Andrew's, officiated and Mr. Rupert Baldwin was at the organ. The reception was held at the China Light and Power Recreation

Club, King's Park. The bride's mother was present in a smart ensemble in mustard and brown, with accessories to match. When Mrs. Benwell left for the Czar of Russia, was suddenly taken honeymoon, which is being spent at Repulse Bay, she wore a charming Prince Andrew and his mother, the model in turquoise blue with acces-Grand Duchess Xenia of Russia, are sories to match.

JAPANESE TERRIFIC AIR LOSS

(Continued from Page 1.)

1,010 machines lost to the Japanese, 221 were shot down by the Chinese air force in midair, 179 were destroyed by the Chinese air force on the ground, 83 were shot down by It is reliably stated that Imperial Chinese anti-aircraft guns during raids, 107 were destroyed by Chinese land troops, 110 were destroyed by Chinese artillery, '19 were forced down behind Chinese lines, 27 were ful country," said Miss Ryan. "We Aviation Corporation will fly directly damaged, forced down and reported still missing, and 363 were lost in

mishaps and accidents. The spokesman said that the number of necidents estimated, namely 363, is an under-, rather than an over-estimation.-Central News.

PALESTINE PLAN: JEW DELEGATION

(Continued from Page 1.)

Arab State would be set up in Palestine, several hundreds of young Arabs entered Haifa to-day to hold were caused.—Central public demonstrations to express their joy.

Dancing and singing, they marched through the town shouting "Palestine for the Arabs! Long Live Haj Amin!" (Haj Amin is the Multi). Almost at the same time, a British

steamer arrived at Jaffa bringing a large number of British police to reinforce those of the mandated authorities in Palestine. - Trans-

NOTED JAPANESE STATESMAN DIES

(Continued from Page 1.)

will be carried home by Mrs. Salto and other members of the bereaved

AMERICA'S CONDOLENCES Tokyo, Feb. 27.

Mr. Joseph C. Grew, the American Ambassador to Japan, called on Mr Renzo Sawada, the Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, at the Foreign Office at noon to-day and expressed sympathy for the death in Washington of Mr. Hiroshi Saito.-Domei.

LONDON EXPANSION Planned Decentralisation Of Industry Urged

London, Feb. 25. A strong plea to the Government to adopt a policy of planned decentralisation of industry was made by Lord Lytton when addressing the 40th annual meeting of the Garden Cities and Town Planning Associa-

Siberia.

The Association has urged this course on social grounding in the past but vulnerability in time of war said Lord Lytton had given new traffle on the London underground is urgency to the demand. In factory at present proceeding and as on trades alone London had nearly one similar occasions in the past figures quarter of the workers of England produced by this traffic test will pro- and Wales and he hoped a halt would bably result in further improvements be called to continue the expansion

KOWLOON ROBBERIES

Miss F. A. Dobson, of Prince Edward Road, reports that some one broke into her residence and stole money and other articles to the total value of \$75.

While watching a football match at Caroline Hill yesterday, L. Botam, of Jaffe Road, reports that he had his pocket watch stolen. Mr. A. Pratt, of Arlington Hotel reports the loss of a fountain pen and money to the value of \$150.

OFFICE.

RACE HOLIDAYS The Money Order Office will be open to the Public from 10 a.m. to Noon, during the Races, on February

27 and 28, and March 1, 1939. MAIL FOR CANTON Registered and ordinary mails (not Insured or Parcels) will be accepted for Canton and despatched as circumstances permit.

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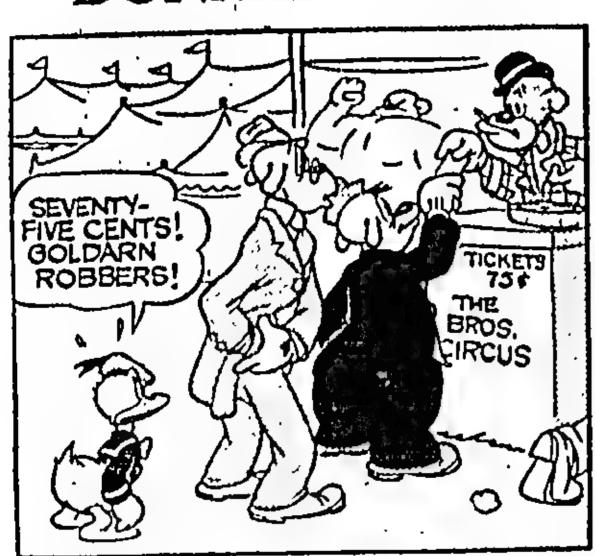
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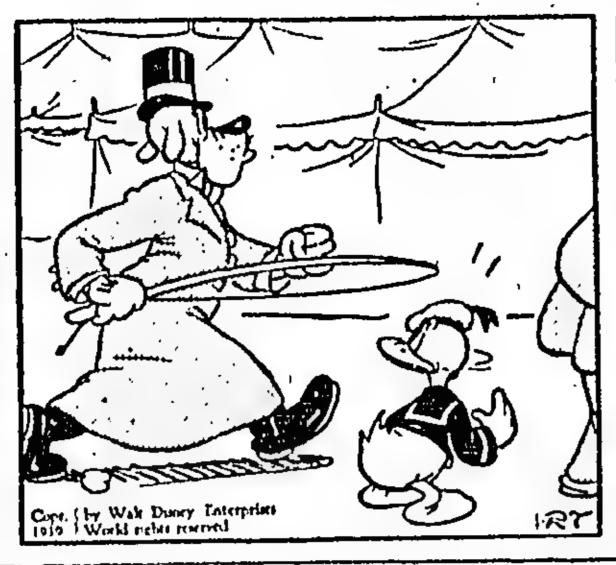
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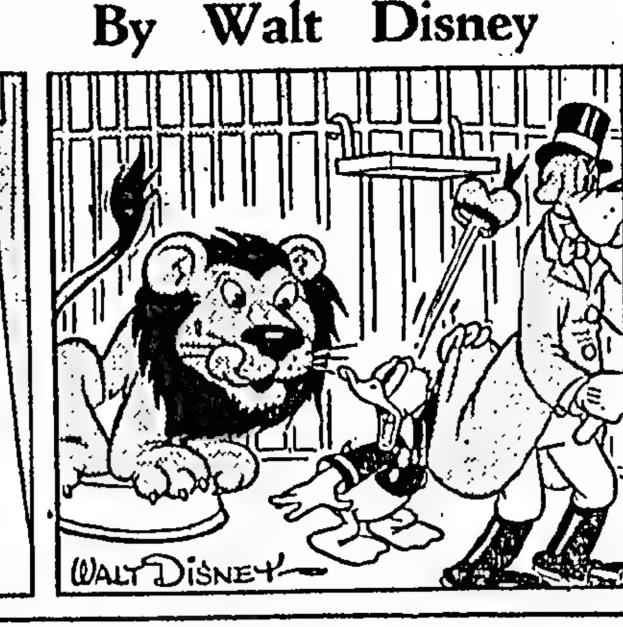
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GUERILLAS MAKE IMPORTANT ADVANCES

ICHANG, Feb. 27.

AUDACIOUS

LEAFLET

Copy Of Kuling

Warning In H.K.

PROBABLY THE most asto-

"TO ALL FOREIGNERS

REMAINING AT LUSHAN"

"Despite the warning during the

and rather dared to show the

attitude of supporting the enemy

"IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED"

the Imperial Japanese Army.

raided the mountain resort and

dropped many bombs, causing a con-

siderable amount of damage to

Crowd Cheers

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Moscow, Feb. 26.

foreign property.

BITTER FIGHTING which started afresh several days ago on the eastern section of the Hankow-Ichang highway at Takwanmino and Waminotsi was continued unabated throughout the last week-end, with strong Chinese reinforcements steadily pushing up from the rear.

After a momentary recapture by Chinese guerillas, Wamlaotsi was again lost to the Japanese who are now cheeked from further westward advance by regular Chinese forces.

Along the Kingshan-Chungsiang highway, which runs to the north and paralleling the Hankow-Ichang highway, 200 Japanese forces with field guns are making a concerted drive westward on the Chinese positions at Shihlipu. Fighting is raging to the south-east of Shihlipu.

Another column of Japanese forces, flanking the Chinese left wing at nishing and audacious leaflet yet Sunking, has been repulsed with con- distributed by the Japanese siderable loss.

military forces during the Sino-To the south of the Hankow-Ichang Japanese conflict was that which highway, the Chinese right wing is effectively holding out against the army planes dropped on Kuling invaders in the vicinity of Yokow, on January 19, three days after which the Japanese entered last the Japanese had bombed the weck. The enemy force at Yokow mountain with high explosives, are bringing up reinforcements from mountain with high explosives. Hankow and for the present are The document, printed in satisfied with intermittent bombard- English, was remarkable, both Sulyuan province, sandbag barricades military honours to the distinguished ment on Tsienking, ten miles west of for its grammatical construction, have been creeted at all street in- dead. Yokod, on the Han River.

Several attempts made by the in- and its "terms". vaders to cross the Siang River to In it, the Japanese alleged that the the south bank were fraustrated by army and navy authorities, in con- guerillas are broadcast over the radio. the Chinese defenders, who hold junction with third Powers, had stubbarnly on their riparian positions agreed that henceforth foreigners in have been organised into volunteer with no signs of yielding -- Kuling had forefeited their nation-Central News.

CHIHSIEN RETAKEN

Chengchow, Feb. 27. Chinese guerillas in eastern Honan offensive against Kuling. have re-captured Chihslen, small town ten mules south of Lanteng, being a copy recently received in vent them from associating with the line which was manoeuvring under the during the last week-end, according being a copy recently received in vent them from associating with the line which was manoeuvring under the water. He eventually alighted on the line which was manoeuvring under the guerillas. to a military despatch received yes-

terday. The guerillas attacked Chihsien in a series of raids, completely wiping out the feeble Japanese garrison of about 50 men, and re-entered the town without a single loss.-Central

SOUTH SHANSI BATTLE IMMINENT

Tungkwan, Feb. 27. A big battle is expected to break out soon in south Shansi as more than 4,000 Japanese troops from Anyi, Yungcheng and the vicinity are driving south-eastward in the direction of Yunnku, strategic town on' the Shansl-Honan border.

Japanese vanguards, according to a report reaching here, have already clashed with Chinese defenders as Henglingkwan near Yuanku.-Centrat News.

JAPANESE ATTACKED IN NORTHERN HONAN

Loyang, Feb. 27. More than 300 Japanese troops with several artillery pieces were waylaid by Chinese forces at a village about seven miles east of Po Ai terminus of the Taokow-Chinghua Raliway in northern Honan', last Friday,

Taken completely by surprise, the Japanese were thrown into great later. confusion and suffered considerable losses during the fighting,—Central

Japanese Lodge Second Protest

Shanghai, Feb. 27. It was understood that the Municipal Council's reply to the first Japanese protest which was handed to Consul-General Mlura by Chairman C. S. Franklin of the Council on Saturday failing to satisfy them, the Japanese military, naval and other emergency conference aboard ed the defending counsel, M. Kom- Chinese anti-aircraft guns.

It is pointed out that the Japanese charged with sabotage, at the res- Siberia.—United Press. test with the Municipal Council. authorities were still maintaining the attitude of co-operation with the for finding a counter-revoluntionary Municipal Council in principle. motive for the defendant's alleged the event, however, the latter de- sabotage, "which the testimony of 14 finitely fails to show "good faith" in Polar witnesses did not justify". dealing with the present situation, where in court were chiefly Polar they are prepared to proceed with specialists and workers who listened "effective and adequate" measures in shence for the prosecutor's demand by taking an "independent and for a harsh penalty.

Sunday's emergency conference cused's breakdown to the severities Japanese Fleet in China Waters, was shattered morale and temporary in- mirals, including Sir Dudley Pound, The Heir to the Throne of Tunis, placed Chinese defenders ambushed come to him when he reached Ranattended by Vice-Admiral Koshiro sanity. Olkawa, Commander-in-Chief of the He maintained that although the ranean Fleet in the battleship died to-day. Yoshlaki Miura, Japanese Counsul- effect, it lacked an anti-Soviet motive Commander-in-Chief of the Home nephew of the present Bey, will be been one sentry post wrecked and merrow, which will lead to closer General, and other military, naval and which the prosecutor had illegitimate- Fleet in the battleship Nelson,— proclaimed Heir to-day.— Trans- some soldiers wounded.—United relations between the two countries. ly attempted to prove-Reuter. consular officials,-Domei.

Two Footballers Collide: One Killed

Budapest, Feb. 26.

PLAYING in a football match between two railway sports clubs to-day, 32-yearold Johann Schaj collided with another player, and was killed outright.—Trans-Occan.

Japanese Anti-Guerilla Precautions

Chinese Strategy Succeeds

by the Japanese to forestell Chinese, guerilla activities in Sulyuan. tersections.

Alarms of the approach of Chinese days. Japanese and Korean merchants until further instructions. corps to strengthen the garrison ulity; that they were regarded as force.

sympathisers of the Chiang Kai-shek All villagers living on both sides regune, and therefore would have to take the consequences of a Japanese of the Pelping-Sulyuan Railway have been ordered by the Japanese to The leaflet, however, tells its own move to designated areas where they the Admiralty, piloted an aeroplane story more effectively, the following are kept under surveillance to pre- over the Solont and located a submar-

Villages which might provide cover chantress. for the guerillas have been burned

dangered, you failed to listen to our complete failure.—Central News, CHINESE STRATEGY WINS

sincere warning remaining there, Chungking, Feb. 26. and the third Power authorities on of destruction of all establishments of wounds and alekness. December 6, 1938, at Kiukiang that of military value and wholesale you be regarded to have separated evacuation of civilians and supplies In recent years there has been no Robin; Hey Diddle Diddle; Little Bo Corner' (Michael Standing Interviews from your respective nationality in any town menaced by the Japan- more striking feature in the develop- Peopl A level He Would newcolor from your respective nationality in any town menaced by the Japan- more striking feature in the develop- Peep; A Frog He Would a-Woolng the Man in the Street'); Edited and next not have united yourselves with esc, according to information from rapid and well-sustained growth of Go. etc.... The B.B.C. Dance Or- produced by C. F. Meehan. the Chiang Kai-shek regime, military sources.

a complete offensive operation kung recently could not find anything hand and though the building itself has Intro; Hush-a-bye Baby; Lullaby (film Romance and Rhythm'); Waltz against the remnants around the to cat or drink. Transportation of not yet been commenced, the foundation of the long street in the remnants around the to cat or drink. Transportation of the long street in the remnants around the to cat or drink. Transportation of the long street in the remnants around the to cat or drink. Transportation of the long street in the long street in the remnants around the to cat or drink. Transportation of the long street in the lo fleult as their transport units were structed, while the new ferry and rall- Orchestra and Chorus. again and again waylaid. As a re-"That the army assumes no sult, they were compelled to withresponsibility hereafter for a seri- draw after staying in the empty town hospital for Europeans. Hongkong has

ous danger which might be inflict- for a few days. ed on you in connection with this Pencirating - into guerilla-infested Kowloon none, and the growth of the areas, the Japanese were often sur-"January 16, 1939. On behalf of rounded by an overwhelming num- question. the Imperial Japanese Army.

Although the leastet was dated which invaded Nankung, Kihsien innuary 16, it was not showered upon and Chuyth suffered heavily from the Kuling residents until three days Chinese enveloping attacks.—Central Instead, on the 16th, the Japanese

Japanese Lose 1.000 Planes

Chungking, Feb. 26. Regarding the Tokyo report that Japan is rushing to build new aeroplanes, aviation experts here con-Sider that this is due to the urgent need for more aeroplanes. It is officially claimed that 1,000 Japanese planes have been destroyed German overtures for a Non-Aggression since the war started, including 221 Pact favourably, provided that it is shol down in dog-fights, 179 destroyed made perfectly clear that it does not A crowded court warmly applaud- on the ground, and 83 shot down by interfere with their relations with

Warships Mass

Gibraltar, Feb. 26. in the harbour with the scheduled arrival here to-day of the Mediter-Commander-in-Chief of the Mediter- 60-year-old Prince Mahmud Eladel, the invaders.

A Look Through The "Telegraph"

50 YEARS AGO

The liver is said to be the organ most speedily disordered by malarial Radio Programme Broadcast by poisons. The hand seems to be the one ZBW on a Frequency of 845 k.c's. exposed to the exhalations of the gut- and on Short Wave from 1-2.15 p.m.

A flower-show will be held at Kowloun on March 14th. The promoters are going the right way to make the affair a success, as free launches will be run, admission will be free, drinks gratis, and time for nothing. Two silver cups will probably be offered, one for table decorations and one for cut flowers, Jack Hylton and His Orchestra. &c. Entries are limited to Kowloon

following: -ASIATIC STATION

Year 1889 U.S.S. Omnha General Order Chinkiang, China,

announce to the officers and crews serve chestra; Everything Stops For Teo- at the Plano; O Sole Mio (Di Capua) ing on the Asiatic Station the death of Fox-Trot (film 'Come out of the ..., assisted by J. Samehtini ('Celto) the Commander-in-Chief, Rear Admiral Pantry'); When the Guardsman and J. Byfield (Plano). Ralph Chandler, at Hongkong, China, started Crooning On Parade-Foxon Monday, February 11, 1889.

naval and military authorities at Hong- And Blue-Fox-Trot (from 'Swing is o.c.a.t., G.C.I.E. keng united in a marked and spontane- in the Air') Jack Hylton and His ous manner with the officers and crew Orchestra with Vocal Refrain. In Kweisui, provincial capital of of the flagship Marion in extending Mourning will be worn by officers of

the squadron for a period of thirty All orders issued by the late Commander-in-Chief will continue in force

> FREDERICK V. MCNAUR Captain U.S. Navy, and Schior Officer Present on Anintic Station. 25 YEARS AGO

Feb. 27, 1914. Mr. Winston Churchill, First Lord of water near the Admiralty launch En- Minor, Op. 11.

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often to come down the mountain in Suiyuan, but both have ended in manneuvres. dent at Belgrade states that the alpha, Edgar, Cleely Courtneidge, Paul Friml); Smilin' Through (Penn).... into a crime wave I Intimated that the Servian lesses in the Robeson and Jack Jackson and His Turkish War were 5,000 dead and 18,000 Orchestra; Studio—Serial Story; The failure of the Japanese "mop- wounded, while in the Serbo-Bulgarian Noah's Ark (Zoological Tunes for night. "It has been decided at the con- ping up" campaign in central Hopel War they were 8,000 dead and 30,000 ference between the army and navy was due to the new Chinese strategy wounded. Altogether 18,000 had aled

way pler is now almost finished. One thing which Kowloon lacks is a tions. on abundance of these institutions, but

10 YEARS AGO

The week has been one water might to Hilo; Blow the Man Down; Rio with Vocal Refrain; Tangos-Tango terest in itself. Not only have very Grande...Royal Naval Singers, Espanol; Tango Illusion....Robert real, if hardly definable, prospects of Portsmouth, cond. by C. T. Lee. Renard Dance Orchestra. the establishment of a vehicular ferry 6.45 London Relay-Music-Hall. 11.0 - Close down. pervice been held out, but the long-lost vision of a trunk telephone line between Hongkong and Canton has been revived. Negus Turnri of Anyssinia, rapidly giving evidence of the direction in which he is going to utilise his recently required powers, has decided to establish an international wireless station at Addis Ababa.

5 YEARS AGO

The United Press correspondent in Prague says that the Czecha-Slovakian Government are understood to view the

other emergency conference abound the flagship Idzumo on Sunday, have decided to lodge a second prothe Russian radio operator, who is to meet possible aerial attacks from the flagship Pact with a minor Chinese victory on increase and foreign residents proved most satisfactory, and the flagship Idzumo on Sunday, elemency for Mikhail Vosnissensky, anxious to build more planes in order judice of her relations with France, but the Foreign Minister, remaining at Kuling, celebrated proved most satisfactory, will not commit herself to the prothe flagship Idzumo on Sunday, elemency for Mikhail Vosnissensky, anxious to build more planes in order judice of her relations with France, but the Foreign Minister, remaining at Kuling, celebrated proved most satisfactory, with no minor Chinese victory on journey from Rangoon yes feels that a Non-Aggression Pact with a minor Chinese victory on journey from Rangoon yesterday Germany will help to offset the em- February 23, when Chinese afternoon and is expected to proceed bryonic Itale-Austro-Hungarlan Alllance, which threatens to push a wedge waylaid advancing Japanese in- to Chungking this morning. between the Little Entente and which fantry under cover of artillery is worrying Czecho-Slovakia.

Heir To Throne Of Tunis Dead

Tunis, Feb. 20.

Town To-night" And London Music-Hall

"FOR THE CHILDREN"

Intercession from St. John's Cathe- easy to remember Vienna in Spring-

12.30 Kitty Masters (Vocal) with

Schoolboy Howlers-Comedy Fox-Trot Jack Hylton's Orchestra with We have been favoured with the Vocal Refrain; Where Yorkshire And Lancashire Meet (Damerell and ments. Evans)....Kitty Masters (Vocal) assisted by Bert Master. With two planes; A Melody From The Sky n the Trot....Jack Hylton's Orchestra Exhaustive measures are employed on February 13. The British civil, Selection (Cole Porter); Red, White Right Hon. The Earl of Lytton, K.G., cemetery of Happy Valley, Hongkong, with Vocal Refrain; "Anything Goes"

1.0 Time and Weather. 1.03 Reginald Foort at the Organ.

Puszta (Mihaly); The Wind Has Told Me A Story-Tango Havanera (Bruhne); "Snow White And The Seven Dwarfs"-Selection.

1.15 The Ballyhooligans.

Whispering-Fox-Trot; Favourite Enrico Caruso (Tenor) Favourites-Fox-Trot Medley; I Got Symphony Orchestra; "Nell Gwyn Rhythm-Fox-Trot.

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, makers' Dance ... Jack Hylton and Weather and Announcements. 1.40 Chopin-Concerto No. 1 In E His Orchestra.

Arthur Rubinstein (Piano) and Major, K. 271. During question time in the House conducted by John Barbirolli.

2.15 Close down. 6.00 "For The Children." manneuvres.
Terrible lesses.—Reuter's correspon- son and His Orch.; Radio Hour in Rio Rita (from the film); Only A go swimming and divestent Helgrade states that the Minis- The Children's Ward..., Marriott Rose (film The Vagabond King'— go swimming and divestent Helgrade states that the Minis-Children Old and Young) (arr. Henry

Sing a Song of Sixpence; An Elephant chestra directed by Henry Hall with The army, will before long, launch The Japanese who entered Nan- The new railway station is now in Vocal Chorus; At Mother's Knee;

6.32 Sea Shanties. A Wet Sheet And A Flowing Sea Orpheans with Vocal Chorus; Fox-Kowloon none, and the growth of the (C. H. Lloyd)....Royal Naval Sing- Trot-How'Dja Like To Love Me? compel serious consideration of this ers, Portsmouth, cond. by C. T. Lee; (Film 'Swing Teacher Swing').... Songs Of The Sea (arr; Terry); Intro: Jack White and His Collegians with Whisky Johnny; Sally Brown; Let Vocal Refrain; Waltz-That Night In the Bulgine Run; Blow My Bully Avalon; Colorado Sunset (from the The week has been one which might Boys; Billy Boy; Johnny Comes Down film).... Hilo Hawalian Orchestra

Chinese

Victory At

Kuling

CHUNGKING, Feb. 26.

CHINESE REPORTS from

The Japanese shelled the Lushan

mountain and then Kuling, after

fleeing.

Including Billy Bennett ('Almost a gentleman') with The BBC Variety Orchestra conducted by Charles Shadwell. Presented by John Shar-

7.45 Len Green at the Plane.

Melodies Of The Month No. 6; Intro: Chasing Shadows: One night of love; I'll never say 'never again' in tablet form, discovered by an Ameragain; We were so young; Paris in the Spring; Fare thee well, Annabelle; Melodies Of The Month No. 2; 12.0-12.20 p.m. Relay of Service (f Intro: My dance; Marie Louise; It's time; The Bridal Waltz; A Street in old Seville: Meladies Of The Month No. R. 4: Intro: Where are You?;

Keep calling me Sweetheart; With plenty of Money and You. 8.0 Time, Weather and Announce-

· 8.03 Albert Sandler (Violin).

The Pantom Melody (Albert W. (film The Trail of the Lonesome Ketelbey); Algerian Scene (Albert The Senior Officer Present regrets to Pine') Kitty Musters with Or- W. Ketelbey) with the Composer

8.15 London Relay-Books-5. A weekly series of talks by The

8.30 A Light Concert. "The Merry Wives Of Windsor"

(Nicolni); Act 1-Mistress Ford's Aria...Lottee Lehmann (Soprano) with Orchestra. (Sung in German); Berenice-Minuet (Handel); The Facry Queen-Three Dances (Purcell -arr. Jacques); (a) Hornpipe; (b) Rondeau; (c) Jig The Jucques String Orchestra cond. by Reginald Jacques; Trusting Eyes (Gartner) Your Eyes Have Told Me What I Did Nobody's Sweetheart-Fox-Trot; Not Know (Bowles-O'Hara).... Dances" (German); 1. Country Dance; 2. Pastoral Dance; 3. Merry-

9.0 Mozart-Concerto In E Flat Walter Gleseking (Piano) and

The London Symphony Orchestra Members of The State Opera House Orchestra, Berlin cond. by Hans

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Chungking To Rangoon Survey Flight

Kunming, Feb. 27.

The survey flight between Chung-France.

It is indicated that Creche-Slovakia Nanchang belatedly state that proved most satisfactory, declared

Pilot Tan arrived here on his return

He sald that no severe weather at Kuling, killing 30 of the in- fluctuations occurred during his sir vaders and sending the rest journey, but that it is dimeult to predict the weather conditions when the rainy season comes.

Pllot Ton also revealed that the which the Japanese infantry ad- natives as well as the Chinese resivanced, but the advantageously dents in Burma extended warm welway for a formal inauguration of Warspite, and Sir Charles Forbes, The 22-year-old Prince Pahar Bey, The Chinese losses are said to have the China-Burma air service to-

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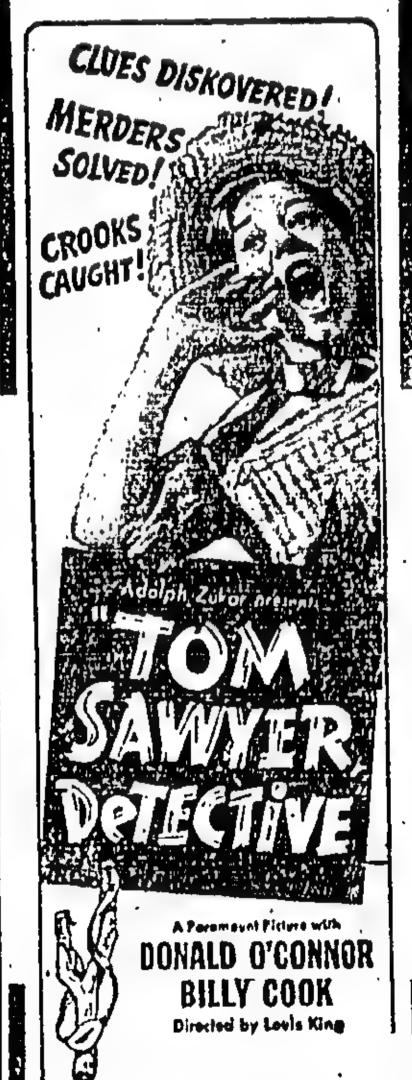
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AMERICAN LABOUR Rival Leaders Summoned To Discuss Differences

Miami, Feb. 25. President Roosevelt has written to Mr. William Green, head of the American Federation of Labour and Mr. John L. Lewis, leader of the "Rebel" Committee for Industrial Organisation, summoning them to with appoint a committee to negotiate beace within the labour movement. The President added that Labour faces a challenge in finding itself divided into opposing groups. Neither Mr. Green nor Mr. Lewis would comment on the President's action.-Reuter.

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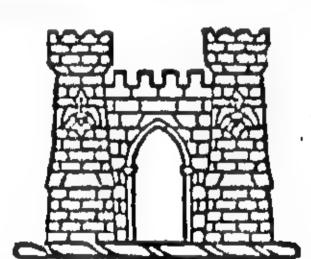
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Halder Ingmar Eriksen, of 287 first water. Prince Edward Road and formerly of the China Maritime Customs, aged 48 years. Funeral will pass the Monument at 5.15

Ujongkong Telegraph.

Wyndham St., Hongkong 'Phone 26615 February 27, 1939

Holy Land Deadlock

The Palestine talks in London appear to have reached an impasse, a conclusion that was At present the chances of Mr. Malcolm MacDonald being able do you want to get them back for ask a lady! Better enquire from "Ah Lum," I murmured, patting I'm certain she isn't the type that, to find any point of common Arabs on which a compromise extremely slim.

The cases of Jews and Arabs which the respective delegates solemnly and laboriously repeat are already known to the British Government. The hoary facts have already been uncarthed and laid before the Government by half a dozen official commissions to Palestine.

As bath cases are irreconcilable both sides are maneeuvring for favoured treatment by trying to frighten the Government with the international situation in relation to the strategic importance of Palestine in the event of ing forehead. another crisis.

A crisis is expected next; month in the Mediterranean as my gardener until I promoted him thatin a sequel to a Franco victory in assistant sleuth. Now he calls him-Spain and Mussolini's demands on France, and the Arab delegation will continue to use the Then take ten cents petty cash, go importance of a peaceful Pales- smoky smoky shop, and catchee this" tine as a lever to gain their —I wrote on a piece of paper "TWO objectives. objectives.

This is the position at present: | change." The Arabs insist that Jewish must be prohibited, and an Arab National Government must be religious rights would be guaranteed.

The Jews insist that Jewish immigration must be continued and that on no account must the be quite sufficient." Jewish community in Palestine which, it is claimed, would wreck the whole meaning and spirit of the Jewish National Home.

The position is a difficult one. The Jews, however, appear to to the ensemble. hold the biggest end of the stick. Another factor has been introduced within recent monthsthe attitude of the United States

The German persecution of the Jews has made a deep impression on America and the British Government cannot and he literally quivered with excitepro-British sympathy of the that she had once been known as the United States by according to At the precincle of no. 964, the the Arab demands in Palestine. Peak, I called Ah Lum aside.

F YOU WERE to throw the Hongkong Bank I into the harbour you could scarcely make a bigger splash than the one Mrs. FitzPillsbury made when she dove into Peak Society Circles some ten years ago,

I have nothing but admiration for Mrs. FitzPillsbury. Of the buxom type, her disposition was as generous as her figure, and she made many friends in Hong-

She had one little peculiarity, though,-a very quaint way of expressing herself at times. For instance, "Lor'-luv-a-duck!" was a favourite exclamation of hers. Of her husband-Archibald-I pre-

fer to say nothing. I will merely asit you to recall, in connection with his transfer to west Africa two years ago, the last line of that famous little rhyme about the Pickwick, the Owl and the Waverley

I became acquainted with the FitzPillsburys through the loss of the lady's pearl necklace. Singularly enough, the incident was never recorded in the Hongkong papers, so allow me to give you the

details.

On December 24, 1931, I was sitting in my office and pondering over two problems—(a) how to get hold of a cutting of enklanthus splendiferous man a nice line in Cottons." for my garden, and (b) how to get ERIKSEN.—At the Precious Blood rid of my new assistant, who was Hospital on February 25th, 1939, turning out to be a numskull of the not a haberdasher."

> The telephone bell rang; I picked up the receiver. "Yes, I am Mr. Suckling, the private detective," I sald, "and you?"

of 964, the Peak." "I suppose you want your husband anything you say will be taken down, shadowed, madam?" "Lor'-luv-a-duck! No! I've lost me you."

jools." At the word "jools" I recoiled

"Ain't you elever! Of course I do, that before? My husbin' isn't half cut up about it, and he's carrying on like-anyfink."

"Please describe the jewels, madam, and where did you lose them?"

it happens to be \$5.00 an hour, or, if a look through the house. when it's recovered."

Silence for several seconds. "Supposing it ain't worth quite \$10,000," she asked, "what then?" "In that case, madam, I should be content with an official valuation." Was it a snigger I heard?-surely good finger-print on it.

"I'll pay by results," she said, patch case I had brought' with me "Better come up and see me." I gave a suitable reply, and hung up the receiver.

Now for action! I mobilised the staff. "Waffles McTurbot!-Ah Lum!"

Waffles stepped forward. "Yes, boss?" he said.

I blanched as I looked at his slop-

"Where's Ah Lum?" Ah Lum appeared. Ah Lum was of beer and a bit of fun, but none of They both seemed sultably impressself "the Charlie Chan of Hongkong,"

"Ah Lum," I commanded, "bring i two pieces no. 4 disguise chop chop, "and don't forget to bring back

"You Waffles," I said, "will please immigration must be stopped, try to forget for a while that you are land sales by Arabs to Jews the underpaid assistant of a famous detective and imagine yourself a respeciable sharebroker. Ah Lum will give you the necessary outfit-bowler set up under which the civil and hat, gent's natty blue suit, hornrimmed glasses and spals. You may select a few articles of jewellery if you like, but don't overdo it. If you take my advice, you will not attempt to light the elgar that I shall give you. A little judicious chewing will

Having issued these instructions, I be relegated to minority status quickly changed my own dress, and, which it is claimed would wrock in a few minutes, quite a creditable transformation had taken place in both my own and Waffles' appearance. I agreed for once with a suggestion from Waffles—a buttonhole certainly would put a finishing touch

Ten minutes inter we were in the Peak Tram and I was explaining to my assistants the nature of the case we were embarked upon. Like a hound straining at the leash,

Waffler was all agog when I described what I knew of Mrs. FitzPillsbury,

MRS. FITZPILLSBURY

"Lor'-luv-a-duck!" Was Her Favourite Expression

bury was a keen horticulturist, I add- his hand, and why had she changed look very nice my garden."

sleuthily departed. Walles and I approached the house. On the door-step was a stranger.

We decided to contact him. "Excuse me, Sie," I said, lifting my bowler, "Isn't this ideal weather for a little flutter? What about a few Antamoks to start with? Or I can It was obvious that, if any light He burst into the office with: " let you have some Peak Trams very were to be thrown on the situation, say, Chief! What do you think! I've cheap. They're always moving, you Walles was the only one to do it, for found out that the pearls were falsel" know-going up and down every my lady was lying on the bed in I jumped up, "Explain at once!" day-so you're sure to make a hand- the last throes of hysteria.

Walles. "Let me show the gentle-

Then the stranger spoke, and he made a most extraordinary remark. "Who let you out?" he asked.

you," I replied, "but, in case you are "It's Mrs. FitzPillsbury speaking, trying to be flippant, let me inform you that we are detectives, and that altered, and used in evidence against

The rude fellow laughed. he said, "and I guess you've come take this lounge lizard away," he ap- and she was always a' losing of her about the necklace. Better go inside pealed to me, "before I tread on "pearls." Woolworth pearls they "And you want me to find them for and see my wife."

"It's me ten thousand dollar pearl. No, she had not missed the neckneckince what's gone. I was wearin' face till she went to bed. . . . Yes, the Walting for us on the read, we it at St. Andrew's Ball last night and ballroom had been thoroughly search- found. Ah Lum. My dejection to accept as payment ten per cent. of I don't know whether it's been took ed.... No, she did not suspect any- vanished as I noticed he held a cut- its value." off from me or whether I dropped it. one Was she in the habit of locks ling of one of the finest roots of forecast before they commenced. Big as pigeons' eggs those pearls was ing her bedroom door at night?— enklanthus splendiferous I have ever my short—and none too pleasant—ac--seventy-two of them. 'Ow much Lor'-luv-a-duck, what a question to seen.

you prefer to pay by results, ten per "You start at the top and work ing me the seat of his pants. "The settlement can be reached are cent, of the value of the necklace down, Walles," I said, "and I will fa wong here—he make one big step start on the ground floor and work on my backside,"

good bottle of whisky with a fingerprint on it. Pardon me, I mean: a honourable order." bottle of whicky with 'n perfectly. "May be very honourable," he re-

I carefully laid the bottle in a desinbelled SHARES, and was just about Arrived at the office, I got the staff it seemed workable. to turn my attention to a boiled to gather round me, and I produced chicken in the refrigerator, when a the bottle of whisky.

What on earth was happening?

fresh with me! I don't mind a bottle my voice-"even of poison!"

What did it all mean?

whole thing out, the infurlated hus- asked. "Can do," said Ah Lum and band, making a bee dive for Walles, had clutched the poor fish by the nape of his neck and catapulted him

you were manhandling my wifel"

"Wait a minute, boss!" cut in was able to blurt: "I was d-d-doing who should I run into but Flossic nothing—only t-t-testing a theory." Footles. You've met Flossie, of "Shut up, you fool!" I hissed in ' And then, as he grew more com- course?" posed: "The whole thing's a ghastly "I haven't had the pleasure. But mistake. You see, I had an idea the go on!" the dress she was wearing at the think she said?" ball. I was taking a few measure- "I don't know," I replied. "I give ments when you fellows barged in." It up."

Archibald, forgetting his grammar in her ladyship was in the chorus of "I'm Mr. Archibald FitzPillsbury," the intensity of his fury. "Here, the "Belle of New York" with me,

on her elbow.

"Lor'-luv-a-duck!" she screamed 'abit." and collapsed once more. Wallies and I faded away.

him on the back, "you, at least, have would admit to wearing imitation "Only this," smiled Ah Lum, show-

"Never mind, Ah Lum," I consoled It was in the pantry that I came him, "In England, people say you across an important clue—a perfectly get 'Order of the Boot'—belong very

plied, "but also very sore!"

I considered his suggestion. Yes,

a distinct finger-print on the neck of the bottle. I want you, Waffles, to "that, this month, you will receive The sound scem to come from one compare the print with our Finger- \$25 less than last month." of the bedrooms, so I dropped the Print Register. It may lead us to chicken and dashed upstairs. Archi- the thief who stole Mrs. FitzPillsbald rushed past me and flung open bury's pearls. Meanwhile I will stammered.

ed, and I desputched Ah Lum for half a dozen bottles of soda water with

which to carry out my experiments. By the time the soda water was exhausted I had finished half the whisky but could find no trace of any deleterious matter having been ndded. On the contrary, it was exceedingly good whisky, and I had to admit that, whatever other fallings he might have, Archibald was no mean judge of the staple product of Scotland.

A further test, with plain water, might perhaps be advisable, and I' was just going to draw some when Walles came in.

"Hullo, Wnffles old boy!" I said, "ean you tell me which is the cold water tap? There seems to be rather a lot of them about to-day, I al-

"Yes," said Waffles, looking at me rather queerly I thought.

"Then whose is it?" I impatiently

"Yours," he replied.

"Now, perhaps," he spluttered, "you pear! Necklace lay unsolved. I had will be good enough to explain why been "waiting for a break" as our you were manhandling my wife!" American friends would say.

And then it came—and via Wafflen of all peoplel

But it took five minutes before "Last night at the hotel," he began, Waffles, who was completely winded, "I was shaking the wicked hoof, when

neckince might have come undone "Well, she's a bit of a gay spark, and slipped down Mrs. FitzPillsbury's and when I mentioned about Mrs. neck, so I asked her to kindly put on FitzP. losing her pearls, what do you

"I say, Sir," he went on, turning to "She said-and these were her very Archibald, "I think you owe me an words-Poarls! Pshawl Pearls inapology-treating me like a blooming deed! Them pearls never saw the inside of an oyster shell, I'll warrant! "Me owe non an apology!" gasped Before she got hitched to Archibald. were. Losing joolry is like second Mrs. FitzPillsbury raised herself nature to her, and, from what you tells me, it seems she's still got the

Now what do you think of that?" 'I had to admit that, to say the least,

his news was startling. "But if it's true," I said, "then we're in the soup-even if we do recover the necklace-because I agreed

"Not at all!" replied Waffles, "From quaintance with Mrs. FitzPillsbury. jewellery."

And then he expounded his plan. "In the Gloucester Arcade," he said, "is a shop where, for a modest outlay, you can purchase a string of artificial pearls as good—if not better -than the real stuff.

"I suggest we get a necklace made up, and hand it over to Mrs. FitzP, She's sure not to notice the difference, and then all-we have to do is to bung in our bill. It's as simple 'as falling off a logi"

"Waffles," I said, "we will adopt "Here," I told them, "is our only the way, I have decided to increase

> which means," I continued, His face visibly wilted. "I d-d-don't quite follow," he

"Yes, possy" ne said.

I blanched an I looked at his slopa door.

As we entered, Mrs. FitzPillsbury examination in the laboratory. It is replied, "it's as easy as falling off a was excitedly exclaiming, "Now, quite on the cards that I shall find log. Let me explain.

"Don't call me bossi" I snapped.

"Don't call me bossi" I snapped.

"Where's Ab Lum?" graceful exhibition of parlour tricks up the Peak, I made up my mind to

cut your salary by \$50. Now, influenced by the fact that the mechanism in your cranium at last shows signs of ticking over, I have decided to give you an increase of \$25. The net result will therefore be:—exactly \$25 less than last month." I left him, to his mental calculations, and sent Ah Lum for a neck-

less of 72 synthetic pearls "as big us pigeons' eggs." When it arrived I set out for the Peak-alone this time.

I rang the bell of no. 964.

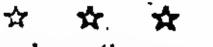
"Master at home?" "Yes." I entered. Archibald came forward. He look-

ed none too pleased. . "I have much pleasure," I said, "In informing you that I have recovered Mrs. FitzPillsbury's necklace. Perhaps you will have a look at it, and, if it's in order, it will no doubt be a pleasure to you to write me out a cheque for \$1,000."

"\$1,000 be---!" he replied. "What shady game are you up to now? How can you have found my wife's necklace when she never lost it?" "Never lost it!" I foltered, "What

do you menn?" "Exactly what I say. My wifefound it in her jewel case this morning. She must have forgotten to put it on before she went to the ball." The horror of the situation slowly dawned on me.

"And, if you're not out of the house in two minutes," said Archibald, "I'll telephone for the police."



and see my enkianthus splendiferous. Just now it's in full bloom.

When you have time, come along



GEOFFREY SUCKLING

"You look see," I told him, "any Of course Walfles would be there ways thought we had only one. By ower beds have not footprints." but why was he bending over Mrs. the way, have you discovered whose flower beds have got footprints." Then, remembering that FitzPills- FitzPillsbury with a tape measure in finger-print it is?"

ed: "Don't forget enklanthus splendi- into evening dress at cleven o'clock ferous-allee same Chinese call muk in the morning? cat ja-makee very nice flower; Before I had time to figure the

He might be the thief.

some profit. Of course, if you pre-

his ear. "You're a sharebroker-

I drew myself up. "I'm afraid I don't quite follow

Now why couldn't he have told us

Mrs. FitzPillsbury was delighted to

Mr. Aichibald. "I don't as a rule discuss my fee I thanked her, and intimated that, done your duty. Now, how about agreement between Jews and over the telephone," I told her, but with her permission, we would take the footprints? Did you find any?"

most startling thing occurred. cing screams, mingled with hysterical less. You will observe that there is warmen beightened





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CHUNGKING, Feb. 26. LATEST EFFORTS of the National Government for economic and communication development are revealed by Dr. H. H. Kung, President of the Executive Yuan, in a report.

In the economic field according to Dr. Kung, the National Government Is following a policy of extensive exploitation of natural resources and increase of production, Several points of special significance are embodied in this policy:

First, regional economic planning and development is emphasized. As a preliminary step, the Government line chosen the Teleiang and Minking valleys in Szechwan as the industrial best. In this best are found coal, petroleum and natural gas. Up till now an alcohol distillery, a power plant and a chemical works have been established, while a paper mill and a sugar refinery are under

planning. one hand, has taken over communioperation between the state and private individuals, all with a view

rural co-operatives, agricultural ex-Credit Bureau.

FARM CREDIT BUREAU

a capital of \$7,000,000. At the same storage capacity for 100,000,000 piculs to defend. of farm products, invested \$8,700,000 on irrigation projects, which can irrigate 2,300,000 mow of farmland and

ed to control wartime traffic.

In the second place, the Govern- and France,-Reuter, ment had laid out a railway network for the Southwest. Aside from the Yunnan-Burma Railway, the Government is planning to build at The British decision to recognise line linking Kunming and Yipin General Franco, which is expected to (Suchow) near the Yunnan-Sze- be announced to-morrow; had a Nichi," Chinese emissaries in Thirdly, Kuomintang officials be- Ambassador, to the Vice-Minischwan border. There will also be boisterous sequel at Whitehall this an extension from Weining within afternoon.

the Kweichow-Yunnan boundary A demonstration of protest against and along the Kunming-Yipin line the Government's action held in French programme of financial tang Government, because he was to Kweiyang whence it will be con- Trafalgar Square, was addressed by assistance. nected with Liuchow in the heart of Mr. Clement Attlee, Mr. Herbert Kwangsh. In that case, the four Morrison and Miss Ellen Wilkinson, southwestern provinces of Yunnan, and interrupted by protagonists of Szechwan, Kwelchow and Kwangal the Popular Front.

with a friendly nation for the con- and abhorrence." struction of a railway in the North- The growd desired to march to with French and Netherlands muni-

ing to present arrangements. Chinese Street by taxl. goen while British passenger and foot, shouting slogans, mail liners may fly from Rangoon! Upon arrival they found the ento Kunming. At Rangoon passen- trance to Downing Street guarded gers and mail will be picked up by by mounted police, British flying boats to Europe.-Central News.

GUERILLAS MARCH ON SOOCHOW

CHUNGKING, Feb. 27. marching on Soochow, scenic interests of her French ally. city known as Venice of China Shanghai.

Lunar New Year and have recaptured a village called Likow, less than 10 a Polish-Hungarian frontier. miles from the city. They succeeded ! in inflicting considerable losses on the frontier as a potential source of Japanese and seizing a large quan- trouble, and the centre of anti-Polish tity of arms and ammunition.

On February 21 and 22, the National fing was seen flying at Chimen, one of the north city gates of Spochow.

The same fing was also sighted at the different bridges along the Soochow-Shanghal Highway. All these bridges have been damaged by the guerillas in order to impede Japanese communication. - Central

HIOW many of these words are serve; F. A. Broadbridge. Lecrect and what is wrong with the others?

stradevarlus armourer straight walstcoat armordillo politesse

arithmitle

Downing Street Skirmish

PARIS, Feb. 26. Secondly, a harmonious co-ordinais sought. The Government, on the built with the blood eation and mining enterprises of and labour of Frenchand heavy industries and, on the men. We will maintain other hand, is modifying the Corporation Law, fostering the growth of private industries, and promoting co-

These words were spoken to encouraging private investiments. by M. Georges Bonnet in provided through the prometion of a speech at Gourdon to-day, perimental stations and the Farin when he explained that recognition of the Franco Government was necessary After the Sino-Japanese hostilities because France wanted flared up, the Farm Credit Bureau neighbourly relations with Yangtze valley to the Southwest. Spain. She wished to re-In 1938 the Bureau had established 76 rural credit co-operatives in the Southwest to which it has subscribed Southwest to which it has subscribed tions with her, and did not time it had set up 49 granaries with a wish to have a new frontier

M. Bonnet said that at the purchased \$1,100,000 worth of raw same time as Franco-German cotton, cotton yarn, cotton cloth and relations were improving, Anglofoodstuffs to meet the needs in the French relations were becoming In the field of communication de- increasingly close, and the revelopment two major improvements cent speeches of Viscount nre noted. In the first place, a Halifax and Mr. Chamberlain Joint Land and Water Transports- showed, the whole world the tion Committee has been inaugurat- complete solidarity of Britain

LONDON DEMONSTRATION

London, Feb. 26.

will be brought closely together. A resolution was passed viewing Negotiations are also underway the Government's policy "with shame

Downing Street, but Mr. Attlee and tions dealers. In air traffic the projected Sino-|Mr. Morrison and other leaders took |

police and a group of demonstrators last year. waving Spanish flags,—Reuter.

ITALY SEEKS SUPPORT FROM POLAND

Warsaw, Feb. 26. Count Cinno had a conversation with Colonel Beck this afternoon, Reports that Count Cinno pressed for a definition of the Polish attitude towards Italian claims against France lend special interest to Colonel Beck's speech last night, which A STRONG detachment of interpreted as a hint that Poland has Chinese guerillas are rapidly to a policy which might injure the

Colonel Beck would doubtless like on the Nanking-Shanghai Rail- to obtain a clear statement of Signor way, about 54 miles west of Mussolini's attitude towards the extension of Germany's commercial and political influence in south-east The mobile fighters, according to a Europe, since Poland was disappointreport from Shanghai, commenced ed by the failure of the Italo-German their drive on Soochow during the arbitration to award Ruthenia to Hungary, which would have created

Polish circles regard the present Ukrainian propaganda.—Reuter.

K.C.C. XI To Play Volunteers

The following team will represent the K.C.C., against the Volunteers in a cricket match at the K.C.C. between Federal troops and a to-morrow, starting at 2 p.m. D. J. N. Anderson, E. C. Fincher, R. E. Lee, S. V. Gittens, R. T. Broadbridge, K. M. Baxter, N. A. E. Mackay, T. A. Madar, B. D. Lay, G. E.

NORMA SHEARER IMPROVING

Hollyword, Feb. 20. Norma Shearer, who is ill, is re-English Oxford Dictionary spell- ported to be much improved to-day. ings of these words will be found on Her temperature was down to 100. and she had a better night.-Reuter. -Reuter.



A section of the large crowd at the races.

Gruesome Sight In Shanghai

SHANGHAI, Feb. 27. OOKING ACROSS the boundary of the Settlement this morning, police saw three Chinese heads, believed to be of two men and one woman, suspended from telephone poles in the Japaneseoccupied area in Western Shanghai.

The discovery followed Chinese reports that Guerillas had raided a village yesterday and executed 20 alleged traitors.--- United Press.

NEW CREDITS FOR CHINA

Japanese Newspaper's Revelations

TOKYO, Feb. 27. Europe were concluding arrange- lieve that Wang Ching-wel, despite ter of Foreign Affairs, Mr.

negotiating secretly with the British the proposed regime in Nanking Following the inforaml communirecently arrived in Paris and held the "Puppet" regimes. Bonnet, and M. Campichi, as well as proposing peace.

and Szechwan.

According to the paper, Britain insult. According to the paper, Britain insuit.

Will permit new loans to the Kuomin- Fifthly, unconfirmed reports stated posed compensation for the losses There was nothing more serious tang Government in continuation of that Major-General. Kita, from the caused by the incident, and also to

strengthening her currency for pay- utmost to prevent the Shanghal out-

shipment to China. report, the French authorities in and is himself a refined speaker of countries "on the spot."-Domei. China will permit French exploita- the Chinese language. tion of all parts of south-western Observers claim that though it China bordering French Indo-China was a success to select this man to in co-operation with Britain and sue for peace, it was a fundamental America.

munitions to China which were pre- preted San Min Chu I. viously scheduled for Loyalist Spain, and thirdly, to begin positive co- ese affairs had warned the nation operation with those countries in for months that the Japanese were supporting China for the extension plotting to form a new Kuomintang of new credits to the Kuomintang .-- so that Major-General Kita's peace United Press.

RIOTING IN **MEXICO** 43 Killed In La Palma Fighting

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 26. FORTY-THREE are reported to have been killed'in a clash band of 100 well-armed marau-

The death roll comprised three Taylor, and G. A. Goodban. Re- Federal officers, ten soldlers, and thirty marauders, the remaining ing mountains.

> General Menchaea, chief of Federal troops in charge of the opera- the police station this morning and during the threatened raids. tions was also killed. The movement is stated to be by midnight on March 15. isolated, and was in no way organised.

Chungking Ridicules Peace Plan

'No Chinese Will Be Deceived"

CHUNGKING, Feb. 26. CHUNGKING'S reception of Major-General Kita's new peace plan is marked by sarcasm, ridicule and extreme contempt. Officials, especially those specialis-

ing in Japanese affairs, are ready to comment on the plan regarding the Kuomintang and the Government at Nanking, and their criticisms follow: Firstly, Japan's adaption of Sun Yat-sen's "San Min Chu I" means spiritual Japanese surrender to China. They said that even Baron Hiranuma and General Itagaki had publicly discussed the San Min Chu I question in the Imperial Diet, indicating that the Japanese are considering re-interpretation and of making use of San Min Chu I seriously and urgently. However, none of the Chinese would believe what the Japanese would manufacture from

the doctrine. Secondly, Kita, as head of the special service organ at Peiping is to have been amicably settled as the first Japanese official openly the result of the official British planning a peace programme. It is communication handed on stated that Tokyo, for a long time, Saturday afternoon by Sir ACCORDING TO the "Nichi has stooped for peace, first directing Robert Craigie, the British the "puppets" at Pelping to appeal. elever enough to understand that satisfaction at the Japanese The newspaper reported that after for peace which was without result, reply to the British protest.

numerous interviews with "pro-Chi- Now that the Japanese themselves Minister for Foreign Affairs, Mr. nese French officials," including M. were "no longer potent" they were Sawada, at the Foreign Office on the

"ABSOLUTE INSULT" The newspaper said that in the to Chiang Kai-shek to join the pro- called, on Thursday expressed in British airline is important. Accord- the resolution to No. 10 Downing negotiations with Britain, the Chi- posed Nanking regime was an "ab- writing, profound regret to the nese emissaries gained the promise of solute insult to China and to the British Government, through Amcommercial planes may fly to Ran- The Labour crowd followed on a loan in return for ceding British Chinese nation," and no decent bassador Craigie for the bombing by Concession rights in Tibet, Sikiang Chinese in Chungking would consider mistake, of the British territory in acceptance in the light of such an Kowloon on February 21 by

the idea of exhausting Japanese pre- nmicable settlement. China is using the funds in parations in China, and then did his it is understood that negotiations ing for arms bought in Europe for break, although he failed. It is said that his wife is Chinese, and that he other technical affairs will be con-Under this arrangement, says the understands. Chinese affairs well, ducted by the authorities of the two

Japanese mistake in arranging a new In return for this privilege, France peace plan which lies ignorant of is expected to co-operate with Bri- | the fact that the Chinese people are tain in maintaining China's legal, not so easily deceived with a countender, secondly, to ship arms and tered Kuomintang and a re-inter-

Sixthly, Chinese experts on Japanplan was nothing new in the eyes of Chungking. They said that Baron dependent on them is responsible for Hiranuma's reinterpretation of the the continued presence in Kuling of Sun Ynt-sen principles-the unity of some of the little band of Americans Japan, China and Manchukuo, and still at the mountain resort, according Japanese tutelage throughout China, to the former fellow residents, who instead of Sun Yat-sen's five-Power recently arrived here. constitutional Government and the Dr. and Mrs. Walter Libby re-People's livelihood - would mean fused to consider abandoning their Japanese exploitation of Chinese tubercular home which they conduct. property as part of my duty." resources.--United Press.

Swiss Correspondent there from the clty fell. Expelled By Italy

for 12 years Rome correspondent of Mr. Henry Baker, a resident at the Paris "Le Temps," Robert Hodel, Kuling for over 30 years is 70. bandits dispersing in the neighbour- in Italy for 29 years, and Luigi are all over 70 years of age. Pedrazzlni, Rome correspondent of The Americans are using the An unconfirmed report says that the Mittel Press Agency at Berne. pulsions is given.-United Press.

President Azana Leaves France

FARIS, Feb. 26. THE PRESIDENT of the Republic, Senor Manual Azana, left Paris for his brother-in-law's home in Savole to-day accompanied by the Loyalist Spanish Ambassador to Paris, Senor Marcelino Pascua y Martinez, and the President of the Cortes, Senor Martinez Barrio.

It is not known whether President Azana, before leaving, signed his abdication.-Trans-Occan.

HONGKONG BOMBING AFFAIR

Amicably Settled Says Report

TOKYO, Feb. 27.

THE BOMBING AFFAIR involving the British territory near Shumchun, was understood

authorities, the Chinese emissaries would be the most sinister among all cation on Saturday morning, the British Ambassador called on Viceafternoon and handed a written note ! to the Japanese Government. Fourthly, the so-called invitation Foreign Minister Arita, it is re-

than one small skirmish between the the £300,000 credit loan concluded beginning of the war, was against take all other possible steps for an

for the payment of indemnities and

Why Kuling Foreigners Are Staying Loyalty To Duty

Hankow, Fcb. 26. Loyalty to duty and to the Chinese

Miss Ruchel Nostrom prefers risking her life to abandoning the group of Chinese girl students she took there from Nanking before the latter

Miss Nancy Fry, the only foreign nurse in Koning, is prepared to nurse Chinese civilians who may be wound-Rome, Feb. 26. ed by the threatened air raids. The Italian Government has Among other Americans in Kuling

ordered the expulsion from Italy of are some too old or infirm to underders at La Palma in the Sinaloa the Swiss journalists, Paul Gentizon, take the arduous journey to Kluklang. correspondent of the Zurich The Rev. Wesley Lawton and the "Neuezurcher Zeitung," who has lived | Rev. Hugh White and their 'wives

> American school as a concentration The three men were summoned to point where they intend to gather informed they must leave the country | It is a four-storey building of reinforced concrete, which could only Alhambra Theatres as follows: "The No official explanation for the ex- be damaged by a direct hit.- Great Waltz" commencing on March United Press.



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Cowardly Attack On Taxi-Driver Soldiers Fined

A cowardly attack by two soldiers 'said: on a taxi-driver had a sequel in | "Let us hope that in the field of Central Court this morning when foreign policy, recognition of the Gunner John Buller and Gunner Spanish Insurgent Government will James Baxter, both 21 years of age end the Spanish civil war, and mark were fined \$10 each for assaulting the beginning of an era of European Leung Wah. In addition, Buller was appeasement, of which the commerordered to pay \$5 compensation,

place after three men had alighted tion. from the taxi at the entrance to Mt. "Let us also hope that the Governfare, amounting to \$2.20.

member what happened." Baxter, sald "I didn't strike the man. I ejected him from military An officer told the Court that the gate man had orders not to allow any person into the forts unless he held a military pass or was accompanied by military personnel.

"In this case, I think Baxter exceeded his duty. The taxi-driver was entitled to his fare and if the soldier had any doubts he could have telephoned and ascertained his duty." The taxi-driver, who denied that any of his passengers were drunk, revealed that he has lost two days' pny as a result of the assault. He had to make up the difference be-

Two special M.G.M. productions will be screened at the Queen's and 4, and "Clindel" on March 17.

ly tendered, and \$2.20,

Appeal To Insurgent Government

Marseilles, Feb. 26. M. Flandin, speaking at a banucqt of the Alliance Democratique to-day

(cial negotiations between London The assault on the driver took and Berlin are the first manifesta-

Davis forts and refused to pay their ment, which again has found it has a new and faithful majority, will go Buller, in evidence, said: "I was forward on the road of action."very drunk at the time and don't re- United Press.



ROSE ELECT OR NAVYLIGHT FOR HONGKONG DERBY?

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

IMPRESSED THEIR RACES LAST SATURDAY

Many Important Events On The Card To-day

Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Rose Elect or Mr. Cire's Navylight to win the Hongkong Derby

to-day? This is a problem which has been confronting race-goers for some weeks. It was expected that Saturday's racing, the first opportunity punters had of seeing the ponies in a genuine race, would throw some light on the problem. But did it? One wonders.

Saturday's events were that Rose find a suitable jockey for to-day's Elect has pienty of speed-a fact big race. Mr. H. C. Pih took out which everyone who has seen the Navylight on Saturday, but Mr. morning gallops is aware—and that Moller expressed the hope that Mr. Navylight scems to like a longhish J. Pote-Hunt, a friend of his, would race—which has never been really ride it in the Derby race.

confirmed. But the point now seems to be this: Will Rose Elect, which created a new record for six furlongs in the Bridge in the Trial Plate was very Maiden Stakes on Saturday (beat- disappointing indeed, and it does not ing King's Warden's best of 1,24.3), seem likely that this candidate will be able to keep it up in the longer be of any danger to Rose Elect or Derby distance? If she can, she will Navylight. Before this race was probably win despite the fact that run, however, there were many Navylight, in winning the Trial people who thought Hyndford Bridge; Plate, had no opposition at all from up to the standard of these two, but the rest of the field.

GOOD PERFORMANCES

unpressive, and there seems little to-day, including the Lusianno Cup, doubt that the first place in the Blue Garrison Cup, Victoria Stakes, Ex-Riband is between the two. Lilliber change Plate, Chater Cup and the and Blue Express were behind Rose | Challenge Cup. Only two are for Elect, and Eve of Harvest and Con- subscription China ponics. quering Time were following Navylight in that order; but in each case, on Saturday, has been entered in there was a clear-cut superiority of only one race, the Victoria Stakes. the winner over the rest of the field. Therefore she is almost certain to established in five races on Saturday lenge, but it is expected that she will morning. Therefore we ought to see be taken out in the latter race only a very fast race if Liberty Bay's -a einch for her.

Derby record is not lowered.

"very fine animal." He is very day's races, one or two may cause a disappointed that his son, Mr. R. B. surprise. Moller, who rode Silkylight to vic- Confusion Bay, it is understood, tory in the Derby and Champions at will not weigh out for any events the last annual meeting, cannot take at the Carnival, as she is under a out Navylight owing to a recurrence cloud.

Selections

Made By

"Early Bird"

The following selections on to-day's

races are made by "Early Bird" of

the S. C. M. Post:

Magog

Marksman

Cocklerol

Chiltern

Jennifer

Ruby Star.

Blue Express

Desert Chief

Rose Evelyn

Musketeer

- Oranje Boven

Celtic Star

Lucky Lad

Navylight

Lilliber

Rose Elect

Wild Life

Rob Roy

New Star

Silkylight

King's Worden

Red Feather

Lancashire Chips

Able Amazon

Double Chance

Gold Sovereign

Bear Claw

Oak Bay

Peaceful View

Ring Master

1st Race

2nd Race

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all Raco

5th Race

7th Race

8th Race

9th Raco .

The only things established by of an old ailment, but he hopes to

VERY DISAPPOINTING

The form shown by Hyndford opinion must have changed quickly after the finish of the Trial Plate.

Apart from the Derby, there are Both performances were extremely many interesting races on the card

Desert Chief, who broke a record

If there are upsets to-day, they As only to be expected, both will probably be caused by ponies owners are supremely confident of which were left at the starting gate their candidates' ability to win the on Saturday. There were several of them. The public, therefore, are Mr. Eric Moller, for instance, still in the dark regarding their conthinks Navylight will win, though he dition, and if their jockeys can get acknowledges that Rose Elect is a them away with the bunch in to-

I.--MONGOLIAN STAKES

Ring Master

Radium Star

(FIRST SECTION)

Pumpernickel

Blue Express

Descri Chief

Bear Claw

Happy Eve 5.—GARRISON CUP

Bistro

Rose Evelyn

6.-EXCHANGE PLATE

Musketeer

Marksman

7.-MELBOURNE CUP

Lucky Lad

Salvage Master

Oranje Boven

Able Amazon

8.—HONGKONG DERBY

Rose Elect

Navylight

New Star

Wild Life

10.—CHALLENGE CUP

Silkylight

. King's Warden

11.—BLACK ROCK STAKES

(SECOND SECTION)

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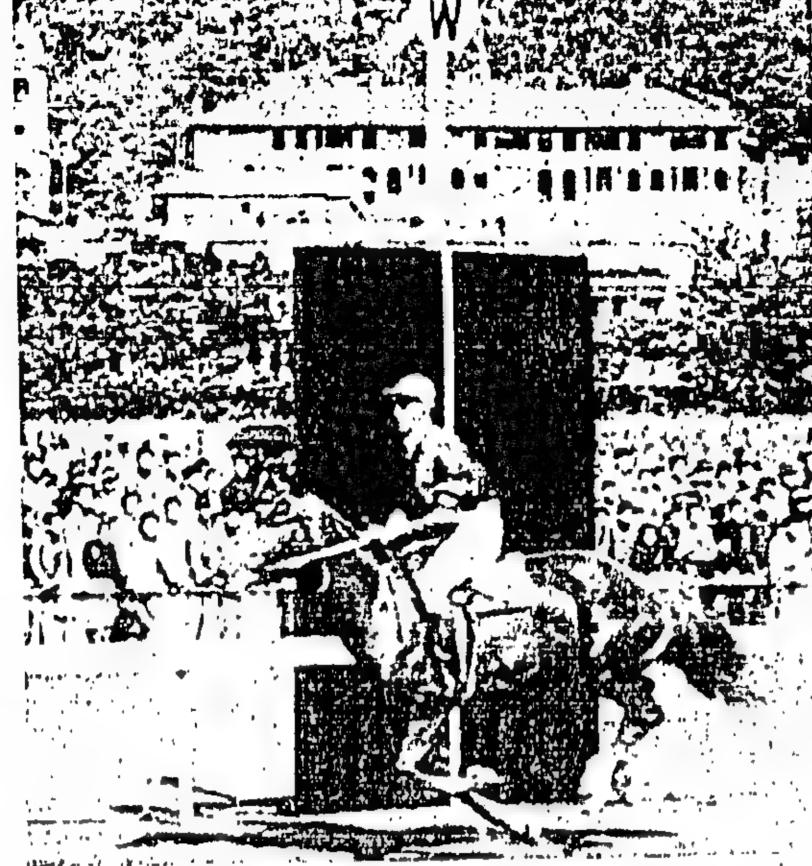
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4.—VICTORIA STAKES

"Capt. Foster" Selects

— The Following: —

South China Held 1-1 In Charity Soccer



Mr. C. L. Gregory brought Strathbannock home to an easy win in the second section of the Wong Nel Chong Stakes at Happy Valley on Saturday to pay the highest dividend of the day, \$69.50. Picture shows the winner at the post.-Photo by Juffer.

THIS GUIDE COURSE RACE TO-DAY WITH YOU

The following are the entries for the races at Happy The track at the moment is very start, in which case the race should Valley to-day. Numbers in front of the ponies' names dry and is conducive to fast time, as be hers. Silkylight has been entered proved by the three records for Victoria Stakes and the Chal-

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Ring Master

BOWLERS ARE NOT HELPLESS IN MODERN CRICKET

Game Needs To Be Left Alone

"the grousing" bowlers, was included in a speech made recently by Major M. F. S. Jewell, the former Sussex and Worcestershire cricketer, ing in Worcester of the Worcestershire Cricket Club, of which he vice-chairman.

"The game is all right," declared Major Jewell. "It needs leaving alone. Much has been said about

good bowling, they would do better do. Courtney, for instance, was than just grousing about the state hanging too far back most of the of breaking a way through the Chiof the wicket."

benefit—a record for a Worcester- several good runs down the left wing, from passes flung out by him. But shire professional.

and his father, Lord Cobham, was obtained by cutting in and trying levelled. Thomas cut in and shot, re-elected president.

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RECORD OF SCORING GOAL IN EACH MATCH

Rest Side Draw Level In The Closing Minutes

(By "Abe")

Though obviously the better side in many respects, South China A.A. were held to a draw of 1-1 in the charity soccer match in aid of the China Relief Fund played at Caroline Hill yesterday.

the over preparation of wickets, who had been originally selected from falling. Once a misunder-We were told that it was impossi- weakened the Rest side considerably, standing by Hou and Hartley let in ble to turn the ball upon them, and the forward line seldem showed Law Tau-man, but the left wing, Even if this was so, the bowler still any real combination. There were with a yawning goal in front of has further darts up his sleeve in some good individual efforts but few him, shot outside. On another occaworking centre-forward, but was chance of adding to the score, but "If bowlers were to remember given little support by his inside shot wildly. 'his," he went on, "and concentrate men, who seldem kept up with him, on using these essential factors of thus leaving him with too much to

, time, and Rides, playing out of his 'nese defence continued to fall. His It was announced that Gibbons usual position, never seemed really was a lone battle, however, though would receive over £000 from his happy at inside left. Thomas made the wingers made several fine runs but made the cardinal fault of look- in one of these, fortunately for the The Hon. Charles Lyttelton was ing around for his inside men when Rest, Couriney and Rides kept up re-elected captain of Worcestershire, better results might have been with the attack, and the scores were

I to put in a shot himself. China attack they conceded only one charge. goal is tribute enough to their half, who kept a firm hold on Lee provided the only weak link in an promise as a half-back. otherwise admirable defence.

NEGATIVE FOOTBALL

With nothing at stake, the South China players did not seem to be going all out. They showed a bit of choi; Mak Siu-hon, Li Tin-sang; Lau pretty, if negative, football in mid- Hing-choi, Leung Wing-chiu, Tam field, but once they had got to within Chan-fai; Tang Kwong-sum, Fung shooting distance, Hou Yung-sang, King-cheung, Lee Wai-tong, Lai Beltrao and Sheehan saw to it that Shiu-wing and Law Tau-man. they were not given any chance to

sheet was still blank, but twelve Courtney, Moss, Rides and Thomas, minutes after the resumption, South China took the lead, through Lee Wai-tong. The Rest defenders seemed to be under the impression that Lee was off-side, and Hartley made no attempt to stop the shot, but the referee apparently had no doubt at all that it was a goal.

Shortly after this, Mak Siu-hon tact, went back to fill Mak's position they play the V.R.C.

In spite of Lee's absence, the V.R.C. Chinese made several dangerous Recreto raids, and only poor finishing by the K. Tong "A"

The absence of several players | forwards prevented the Rest goal length, flight, change of pace and concerted; ones. Moss was a hard- sion the same player had a grand

SCORES LEVELLED

On Moss' broad shoulders the task but though Cheung Wing-choi, the In defence, however, the Rest were | Chinese goal-keeper, got his hands the equals of their opposite num- to the ball, he failed to hold it and bers. Hou Yung-song and Sheehan it went out to the right. Emberson were a steady pair of backs, and swung it back to the middle and Hartley was very safe in goal. The Courtney took a first-time shot, fact that against such a fine South scoring with Cheung still out of his

This occurred four minutes from ability. But'this was also due partly the end, and the final whistle blew to the able work of Beltrao at centre- with the scores dead-locked at 1-1. South China tried out two com-Wal-tong all the time the latter was parative "unknowns" yesterday, up in the forward line. Hsu King- Cheung Wing-chol (in goal), who shing, at left-half, was also in good played with such conspicuous sucform, though he was given a trying cess with the Chinese team in the time by Fung King-cheung and Tang last tour to Saigon, and Tam Chan-Kwong-sum. Honniball, on the fai, a Third Division half-back. other flank, however, was not quite Cheung gave a very cool and clever up to the standard of the others and display, and Tam gave evidence of

The Chinese never seemed to be | going all out. The pace, as a result, was inclined to be slow throughout the whole match.

South China A.A.-Cheung Wing-Rest of Colony.-Hartley; Hou

Yung-sang, Sheehan; Honniball, . When half-time arrived, the score Beltrao, Hau King-shing: Emberson,

Badminton Matches To-night

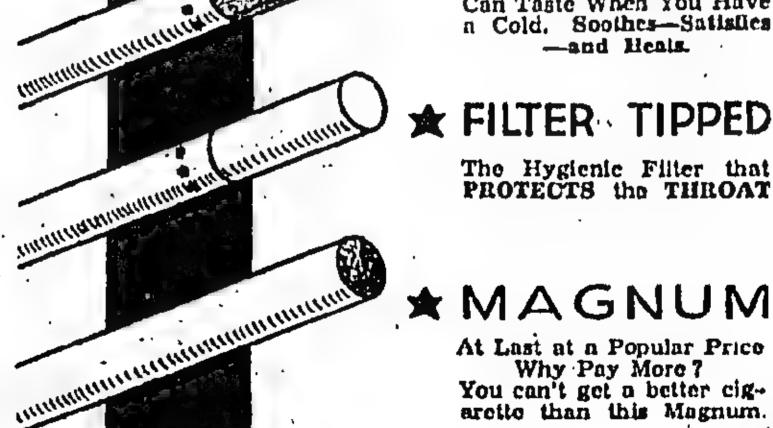
Three matches are down for dehurt his ankle during a Rest rold, cision in the "B" Division of the Badand was out of the game for the minton League this evening. St. remainder of the match. Lee Wai- Andrew's "A", who are leading this tong, who had already kept his section of the League, should advance record of scoring in every match in- another step towards the title when The programme is as follows:

v. St. Andrew's "A" v. K. Tong "B" v. Chung Wab



favoured in many quarters to win the Hongkong Derby to-day. On him is Mr. C. Encarnacao, who will be riding him in the big race this afternoon.





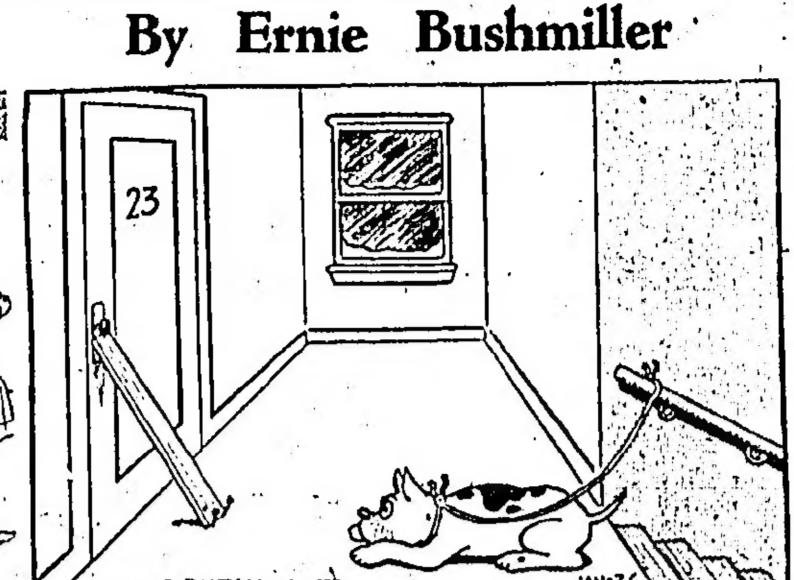


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INTERPORT HOCKEY TRIAL HOLD

Many Players on View In Preparation For The Visit to Shangai

(By "The Pilgrim")

The first Ladies' Hockey Interport trial was held at King's Park yesterday morning. Two games of 40 minutes each were played, giving many players a chance to be seen in action.

There was one casualty during the spraining an ankle in the first game, necessitating her leaving the field.

Mrs. Ackroyd filled the vacancy at course of the trial, Miss II. Bockler centre forward.

Colours, who had most of the play in the first game, scored through Miss D. McCaw in the second half. A nice movement by Miss J. Ewing on the right wing resulted in the goal being scored. This was the only goal scored and both teams were very evenly-matched.

Of the respective goal-keepers, Mrs. Lunson, Colours, was more rellable than Miss J. Hall, of St. Andrew's, and the Colours' backs, Miss G. White and Miss M. Roza, were superior to Miss Moss and Mrs. Wil- Caer Clark Cup on Saturday There was little to choose between the pivots, Miss J. Wong (Colours) and Miss I. Woolley (Whites). The latter, in my estima-

half, was the best wing-half on Saints the lead in a brilliant solo Whites' left-half, running a close they were on the defensive most of Booker were not at their best.

The Whites' attack was more im- lead. doing some very useful work.

were the best forwards, though Mrs. forward had the ball in the net.

SECOND GAME

In the second game, which was won by the Colours 1-0, several fresh teams, and a few positional changes tack got going and by means of some superiority in the tussle between the players were introduced into both Colours gave a better display than Miss G. White and Mrs. Wilmot outshone Miss P. Everest and Miss R. Smith.

Miss I. Woolley was seen at right wingers, changed places, the latter combining well with Miss M. Shand E. Grey prevented their scoring. for the Whites.

Miss Greaves, at left half for the Whites, was also in the picture with her great spoiling work, receiving able support from Miss A. Smith at centre-half.

This game, however, was not as interesting as the first, as several names were submitted by the various clubs and players had to be given a trial to prove their worth. Several well-known players were not seen in action and their chances for the Interport cannot be ignored. shall make further comments on

Thursday. Mrs. Webb informs me that there will be another trial next Sunday

LEAGUE Recreio Defeat Panthers By One Run Margin

Scores of yesterday's games are as

Men's League English Forum 6, Machine Gunners 5. Filipinos 12, Central British 3. Women's League Recreio 19, Panthers 18.

Inter-Hong League Green Spots 21, R.A.F. 11. Socony 27, China Underwriters 5. Hongkong Shanghai Bank 25, National City Bank 8.

Friendly

Surprise Saints XI

(By "The Pligrim")

players, the Hongkong Ladies gave St. Andrew's a shock in the when they defeated the home team at King's Park by 3-2.

The Saints started off at a fast tion, was slightly better with her pace and it looked at one time ar if the Hongkong Ladies were in for a Mrs. I. Stone, the Colours' right- rough time. Miss J. Wong gave the with Miss D. Watson the effort after 15 minutes, but though Miss H. Reid and Miss J. the time, the Hongkong Ladies found the net on two occasions to take the

pressive. Miss M. Shand, at inside | The first goal followed a movement | ball on the run and with great speed The M. Booker-J. Ewing partner- eut in to equalise with a grand shot. Of the Colours' attack, both put across an excellent centre. Mrs. Bank back row forwards were quick wingers, Miss J. Greig, on the right, Dalziel was unmarked and before and Miss M. Westcott, on the left, Miss J. Hall could get out, the centre

Dalzied at inside left, worked hard. Thereafter the home side attacked up the middle but poor shooting by their forwards saw Hongkong Ladies still in the lead at half-time.

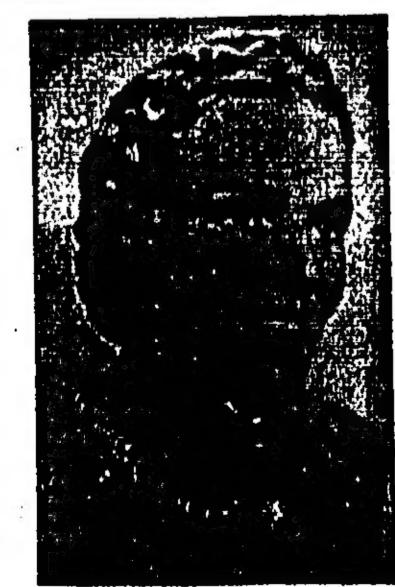
SECOND HALF

After the interval, the Saints' atmade. Miss D. Moss in goal for the good passing and speedy following up. equalised through Miss F. Wong. All Mrs. Read and the Colours' backs, through this half, the Saints were mostly pressing, although Mrs. Dalziel and Miss Purvis, for the visitors, were always a source of danger.

In the last five minutes, however, half for the Colours and Mrs. Mrs. Dalziel, in a breakaway, just Williams at left-half; both gave a managed to tip the ball over the goalgood account of themselves. Miss line to put the Hongkong Ladles again Harker, at inside right, showed good in the lead—after Miss Hall had misform and may go close to the final kicked a clearance. The end was M. Westcott, the respective left near and though St. Andrew's press-

Mrs. Lunson was in excellent form in the visitors' goal and her play, particularly in the second half, was a distinct feature of the game.

Miss G. White, Miss J. Wong and Miss H. Reld did well in the Saints' defence, and though their re-arranged forward line displayed more dash, their understanding and finishing left much to be desired.



Frances Farmer scored arali in Paramount's thrilling drams, "Ride man, Taylor and Redman. a Crooked Mile," which is being shown simultaneously at the Queen's and Alhambra Theatres. Also in the Club de Recreio 12, U.S.S. Min- cast are Akim Tamiroff and Leif



A scene of the French revolution, from "Marie Antoinette," starring Norma Shearer and Tyrone Power. The picture, which marks the return to the screen of Norma Shearer, who is reported to be gravely ill at the moment, is now being shown at the King's Theatre. The two stars are shown in the inset.

BRITISH

PLAYERS

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In the third and last Lawn Tennis!

N. G. Farquharson (S. Africa) beat

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The match will be resumed on

HVEGER'S RECORD

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The final of the Junior Golf Cham-

Golf Club was played off at Fanling

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bent J. C. L. Pearce at the fortieth

OUR SPELLINU BEE (see page 7)

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Copenhagen, Feb. 25.

CHAMPIONSHIP

BANKERS HOLD CLUB Form Guide TO A DRAW IN ANNUAL ENCOUNTER

(By "Fly-Half")

On Saturday afternoon on the Navy ground at Causeway Bay, the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank held the Club to a draw of a forward, formed a good combination half-way line, sent the ball out to the with Miss D. Hunt on the left wing left wing. Miss Purvis caught the ing away possible scoring chances through bad passing.

Unexpectedly the "Club halves, Army will hold their Seven-A-Side ship also shaped well on the right Almost immediately Miss M. Smalley, Henderson and Hutchison, did not Tournament. A good afternoon's after a good run on the right wing, have things their own way. The entertainment is promised.

in going round on Henderson whenever Club heeled. Hutchison was much subdued and yet he obtained what has been for him a try per match for February. Although he did not make yesterday's try, he obtained it by good backing up.

The Bankers held a slight where Dunnett hooked well for them. Watson, who played in the back row three seasons ago for Club, was a test match which is being played lively wing forward on Saturday, here, Britain, so far, has been beaten Harman, who was playing his first in all matches. The results to-day game in the Colony, was well up with were: the ball on every occasion.

The Club three line had very little R. A. Shayes (Britain) 6-3, 6-4. method in its play, probably due to Miss Olive Craze (S. Africa) beat' the fact that it was composed of Miss Rosemary Thomas (Britain) three wing threes and a forward. 0-3, 7-5. Powell was the most forceful player | Kirby and Mrs. C. J. Robbins (S. with Stewart inclined to barge Africa) beat Shayes and Miss Jean through rather than use his speed to Saunders (Britain) 6-2, 6-4. get him round his opposite number. Up to the time he received an ankle D. Butler and Miss Valerie Scott injury, Bosanquet was the best wing (Britain) 6-0, 5-7, 7-5. three on the field.

The Bank backs possessed more Monday.-Reuter. guile although they were inclined to wander. Day confirmed the im- TOURNAMENT POSTPONED pression he made three weeks ago in a Wednesday fixture. He is quick | The tennis tournament which was off the mark and possesses a good to have been held by the Civil Serside-step and swerve. Carruthers vice Cricket Club at their courts at and he were two enterprising inside Happy Valley yesterday was postthrees on Saturday. The former, poned owing to the weather, and will however, has still an inclination to be held next Sunday, March 5, comlose his head once he breaks through mencing at 2,30 p.m. Entrance fee and throws out wild passes. He has for the tournament will be \$1. a long stride which makes it particularly difficult to bring him down. Taverner and Butcher were con-

tent to feed their threes—a wise move on the day's play. A notable absentee from the Bank team was R. C. L. Oliphant, who left the Colony a week ago for New York. Danish girl swimmer, succeeded on to which city he has been transferred Friday evening in improving on her

TO DAY'S GAME

free style, from 6 mins. 39.1 sees, to This afternoon at 4.45 p.m., the 6 mins. 34.3 secs.—Trans-Ocean. Club "A" will meet a team drawn from the Hongkong Police. It is understood that B. C. Fay, who did so well for Police at cricket last Saturday, will make his debut in the Police rugger team to-day at stand-off half. The following will represent Club plonship of the Royal Hongkong

Colc, Nelson, Carruthers, Watts; Day, Henderson; Salter, Burbole, ford, Bompas, Stark, Stewart, Har-

SEVEN-A-SIDE

To-morrow afternoon at 2.30 p.m. on their ground at Sookunpoo, the arithmetic.

For Races To-day

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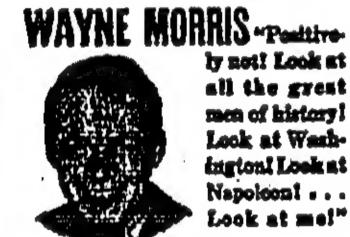
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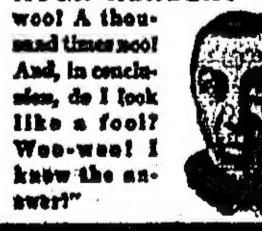


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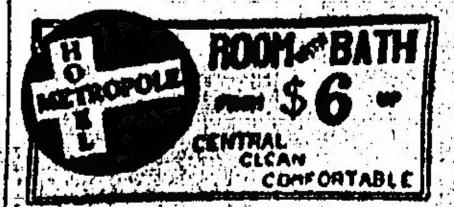
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FROCKS FOR THE OFFICE



top coats for some time yet, so the best thing to do is to have a new warm frock. It will make a pleasant change in your ward-

The styles here are selected for those who spend their days in offices, so if you want to be one of the three smart girls shown in the sketch, here are a few tips as to colours and

The girl who is handy with her needle is having a grand time among the fabric bargains just now. Rust, copper and tan are excellent

shades to choose. They blend attrac-tively with black, navy, green or brown coats, and give you a fashionable combination.

If you do not want an all-wool frock, then I suggest a wool and art, silk marocain.

Spring Fashions

Yoked styles and short sleeves are going to be featured in spring fashions. Note that the latter are squared and without an excessive puff. They are perhaps a little cool for present day wear, so above are shown two of the styles with long sleeves. No. 1233 shows a youthful style with a simply cut skirt for the small woman. This would look attractive in kingfisher blue with cigar brown collar and cuffs, or if you prefer a pastel touch then choose dawn pink. Next comes a useful buttoned SAILS MAR. 4th at 6.00 p.m. style, No. 1234, with a narrowed yoke MAR. 17th at 12.00 Noon that will suit the shortish woman,

> A scarf gives a bright fillip to colour and buttons should match:

Slimming Stripes

Maybe you have to watch that hipline, so encose a fabric with a faint chalk stripe. It's slimming! Stripes are neatly worked crossways and down in No. 1235, and buttons trim the front.

A small shoulder yoke gives the right fashion note to your dress.

FASHION NOTES

Velvet chenille is often used for evening gowns. There is also a pale turquoise lame made from thread which lends itself to almost any style of stitch, and there is a copper evening model which is in metal thread. Generally speaking, the favourite trimmings are flowers which the dress-makers are placing everywhere. For the evening we see them at the belt, the waist, at the back, on hie shoulders, in garlands as sashes, or in necklaces, on gloves, and in the

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WHEN you hear your masculine acquaintances discussing the ageing legs of some boxer or footballer, has it ever occurred to you that the old sporting adage about an athlete being no younger than his legs applies with equal force to every woman—whether she indulges in any

kind of sport or not? If only more women realised this fact and took the trouble to act upon it, there would be fewer prematurely ageing wives in the world, and more happy marriages, too. For legs and feet play so important a, role in everyone's life that, neglected, they are often the real source of much of the unhappiness and misunderstanding to be found in so many homes

Take a typical young modern couple. The wife has probably given up an office job, or come straight from a home in which her domestic duties have been of the lightest character. Being young and naturally anxious to look her best, she has always taken care of her feet and legs, and has worn the best shoes sire could afford.

Encroaching Carelessness

On marriage, this girl finds herself with a little home of her own. She has now no competition to face, and how her feet and ankles look in the privacy of that home does not seem to her to matter. Her job no longer depends upon her appearance, and now that she is actually married she drifts into being much less particular about always looking her best.

In little things, when working about the house, she tends to let her appearance "slide," and one of the first details which she will almost certainty neglect will be her feet. Yet in doing this housework she is probably upon her feet more than she realises, and is placing additional strain on her legs.

Not only does she use her feet and legs more than she did before her marriage, but, in the natural course of things, she sooner or later begins to put on weight, probably an average of from ten to twenty pounds. That increase is additional weight

which her feet and legs must carry

cuffs of dawn plak organdi.

Ever popular scarf neckline featured on a trim coat-frock style with bright

buttons and slanting pockets.

Chalk stripes are slimming. They go two ways on this becoming frock for

the fuller figure.

about. Most disastrous of all is the all-too common "economy" regarding house shoes. Many women cannot see why in the privacy of their own homes they should not wear out old shoes no longer presentable enough for the

street or evening wear. Such "sloppy" footwear, while it may give the wearer a false sense of comfort, is bound to cause incalcul-able harm. For shoes which have tost their shape offer no support to the feet, and when they have become overrun at the heels they throw considerable strain upon the muscles of both feet and legs.

Mental Strain

But the damage does not end there. It is an established physiological fact that tension in muscles or strain upon any part of the body produces nerve strain and Irritability.

Though the housewife may smarten herself up for her husband when her day's work is done, and puts on a good pair of shoes in which to greet him, she forgets that she cannot freshen up her brain that has suffered all day on account of the muscular strain on her feet and legs. No amount of time spent before her mirror will avail to perk up her frayed nerves.

In spite of herself, she is irritable; the most trivial misunderstanding is magnified into a heated argument. She nogs her puzzled husband, probably without realising that she is doing it, and he, being himself tired after his day's work, is in no mood to make allowances.

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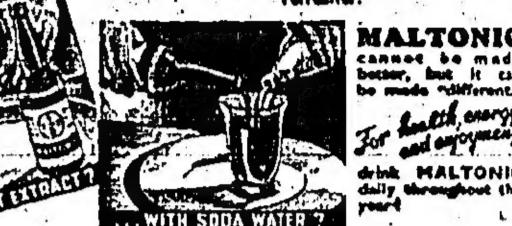
Take two grape-fruits, two oranges, and four lemons. Scrub well, cut in two and squeeze out the juice. Any pulp or pipe tie in a piece of muslin.

Put all the skins through a fine mincer, not a shredding machine. Steep all in 18 teacups of water for 24

Then pour into pan and boll for a few minutes. While this is still boiling, add 10 lbs sugar.

Allow the sugar to dissolve, then boll gently for one to one and a half' hour, or until ready to set. This should make about 20 one pound jars.

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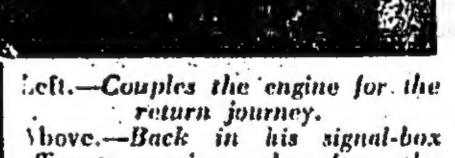
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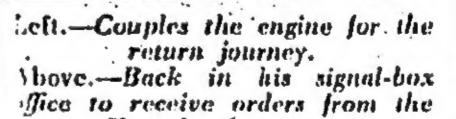




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About Half Mile 170 Yards.

Li Po Chun's CONQUERING TIME Li Po Chun's CONQUERING TIME Li Po Chun's CONQUERING TIME Li Po Chun's CONQUERING TIME Li Po Chun's CONQUERING TIME Li Po Chun's CONQUERING TIME Li Po Chun's CONQUERING TIME Li Po Chun's CONQUERING TIME Li Po Chun's CONQUERING TIME LI PO Chun's CON

was 1.834, of which number 687 coupled Lucky Lad, the winner of the Melbourne Cup, with various ponies in the second leg, the Chater Cup. Of these 887, exactly half chose Wilf Life, which romped home after wrestling the lead in the last hundred yards.

RECORD CROWD

Won by two lengths; the same.

Time:—1.08.2.

Pari-mutuel:—Winner \$8.30. Pisces \$3.70; \$6.80; \$7.50.

Conquering Time overtook Eve of Headern and flashed post the winning post many lengths shead of the second pony, with an equal distance separating second and third. The unplaced posies were bunched well behind the leaders, with Tigress, who was left at the post, a bad last. There were 50 scratchings in this event, only nine posies starting.

The Record Crowd Derby was run nine ponies starting. this afternoon in cloudy weather before an attendance that was a record

Contrary to expectations Rose Elect Dynasty's KING'S WARDEN 181 lb. United the did not start a firm favourite, being Dynasty's KING'S WARDEN 181 lb. (V. V. Needa) 2 2303, displaced not only by the Shanghai Mrs. Dunbar's BEAR CLAW 161 lb... pony but also by Eve of Harvest and Lilliber.

The second day of the meeting

entry, Geordie, in the event, and was by Diana Bay. heavily thrown just after the twentyfive entries got away from the starting post.

Mr. Sewell was a novice jockey, Mr. Sewell was a novice jockey, Subscription Griffins of any season, and needed only one more win to One Mile. qualify for promotion,

Contrary to expectations yesterday, Contrary to expectations yesterday, sale of tickets in the mammoth Derby aweep did not reach 600,000. When it was announced this morning that the sale of tickets would cease at 2.30 p.m. there was a mild rush to 2.30 p.m. the was a mild rush to 2.30 p.m. there was a mild rush to 2.30 p.m. the was a mild r obtain numbers, and the ticket- \$5.60; \$6.90; \$7.00, sellers were kept busy right up to the closing time. To cope with the rush ticket windows were kept open until 2.40 p.m., the last ticket sold being 564,000.

Immediately after, the close the half-million chances went into the barrel for the lucky draw.

enormous crowd, which listened breathlessly to the numbers being

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This Time took the lead as the twentyrush to buy tickets in the \$230,000 five starters passed the grandstand on gamble during the after-tiffin period. the first time round, with the favourite. Mrs. Dunbar's RED FEATHER 161 lb.
the first time round, with the favourite. Mrs. Dunbar's RED FEATHER 161 lb.
(P. Y. T. Wei) 2

mass of humanity, thousands of Chinese following the fortunes of heir favourites with avid interest. Winner \$1,000; Second \$300; Third His Excellency the Governor and \$200. For Australian Ponies of any their favourites with avid interest. Lady Northcote arrived at noon, season. One and a Counter Miles. Also among the spectators were the Lucky's LUCKY LAD 154 lb. Commander-in-Chief and the General Officer Commanding.

MONGOLIAN STAKES (IST RACE)

Winner \$1,000; Second \$400; Third \$250. For China Pontes, Subscription Griffins of this Meeting. About Half Mile 170 yards.

Anharry's MARKSMAN 158 lb. (T. L. Wong) IL Leigh's GUINNESS TIME 158 lb. .. Won by length and half; two lengths. Eu Tong-sen's ROB ROY 152 lb. Pari-mutuel:-Winner \$6.00 Places

PERTH PLATE (2ND RACE) First Section. Winner \$1,000; Second \$400; Third \$250. For Australian Pontes, Griffins of this Meeting. One Mile.

Circ's CANDLELIGHT 152 lb. (J. Pote-Hunt)

GREAT Chau Bros.' TRIUMPHANT DAY 155 1b. Dynasty's KING'S HERALD 152 lb. ...
(V. V. Needa) Won'by many lengths; three lengths.

SETS NEW RECORD

(Continued from Page I.)

past the grandstand in a last challenge to Rose Elect, but was unable to make up the necessary leeway.

Rose Elect won by several lengths, and equal distance separating Navy-light from Eve of Harvest.

Won'by many lengths; three lengths.

Time:-1.50.1.
Pari-Mutuel:—Winners \$94.70 Places \$10.80; \$8.50; \$15.10.

Mrs. Eu Tong-sen's Chiltern, which was fancied for this event, proved frisky at the barrier, and played up to such an extent that it got away to a good start, but was soon displaced by Sydney Lad.
The bay could not hold its lead, however, and was displaced by the Shanghai entry in the straight. Candielight cantering home an easy winner. The time was six seconds outside the record. outside the record.

LUSITANO CUP (3RD RACE)

VICTORIA STAKES (4TH RACE) Mr. Eric Moller's Navylight went such to the starting post the favourite. Contrary to expectations Rose Elect.

Three starters.
Won by three lengths; two lengths.
Time:—1.55.1. The second day of the meeting opened before a moderate crowd, which quickly swelled to thousands after the tiffin adjournment.

JOCKEY INJURED

The first race, the Mongolian Stakes, was marred by an accident which necessitated the removal of one of the jockeys, G. W. Sewell, to hospital in an ambulance.

Mr. Sewell was riding his own entry, Geordie, in the event, and was by Diana Bay.

Time:—1.55.1.

Pari-mutuel:—Winner \$5.40. Places \$5.30. Nine entries scratched, leaving only three ponies to face the barrier. Mr. European on a firm favourite and quickly justified his backers by taking a strong lead, followed by King's warden and Bear Claw in that order. Although Needa urged his mount on to a wonderful rally in the straight. King's Warden was able to do no more than reduce Desert Chief's lead, the latter romping home three lengths ahead. The latter romping home three lengths ahead. The day giving progress Papal conclave, day giving progress Papal enclave, day giving progress will be used in two Several languages will be used in two daily broadcasts to each language.

GARRISON CUP (5TH RACE) Winner, Cup and \$750; Second \$400; Third \$200. For China Ponies,

Eu Tong-sen's ROSE EVELYN 105 lb. (C. Encarnacao)

Henry's MUSKETEER 152 lb. (S.C. Liang) 2 The barrel was surrounded by an Hollandia's ORANJE BOVEN 158 ib.... (C. Encarpacao) 3

> 25 starters. Won by short head; two lengths:

Time:-2.13, Pari-mutuel:-Winner \$47. Places \$9.20; Hundreds of people swarmed around the counters where the tickets were being sold, waving their money and attempting to buy their chances before sales stopped at 2.30 p.m.

There has seldom been such a huge crowd of "non-paying" spectators at Hongkong races.

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MELBOURNE CUP (7TH .RACE)

Eight starters.
Won by a neck; three lengths.
Time;—2.14.3. Parl-mutuel:---Winner \$10.20. Places \$5.50; \$5.60; \$6.40.

CHATER CUP (9TH RACE)

Winner, Cup and \$1,000; Second \$300; Third \$200. For China Ponies. (J. Pote-hunt) 2 One and a Courter Miles

Dunbar's WILD LIFE 145 lb. (P. Y. T. Wel) (C. Encarnção) 2 Kong Bros.' NEW STAR 152 lb. (F. Marshall) 3 Ten starters. Wer, by half length; a length.

Time:-2.28. Pari-mutuel:-Winner \$9.00. Places *5.50; \$5.30; \$5.70.

Wild Life, which started a heavy half, favourite, almost disappointed its backers. It remained in the rut with the pari-mutuel:—Winner \$18.30. Places remainder of the field several lengths be- \$0.10; \$0.30; \$5.80.

Sweep Results

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London, Feb. 27. Diplomatic Correspondent of "Daily Telegraph" learns that the British Government is satisfied with the form and implications of the apologies and undertakings given by 2 the Japanese concerning the bombing 3 of British territory in Hongkong.-Reuter.

EXCHANGE PLATE (6TH RACE)

Winner \$1,000; Second \$400; Third \$250. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Meeting. About One Mile 171 Yards.

SLIK's CELTIC STAR 153 lb.

(T. L. Wong) 1

Henry's MUSKETEER 152 lb.

(C. C. Linner and the leaders, Rob Roy and New Star right up to the grandstand. P. Y. T. Weil right up

CHALLENGE CUP (10TH RACE) Winner \$750 and 70 per cent; Second \$300 and 20 per cent; Third \$200 and 10 per cent. One and Three Quarter Miles.

(11TH RACE) Winner \$1,000; Second \$400; Third. \$250. For China Ponies, bona fide griffins of this Meeting. One Mile. (V. V. Needa) 1

Mrs. J. H. Tangart's LANCASHIRE

CHIPS 154 lb. (D. Black) 2
Fatshan's ABLE AMAZON 154 lb. (D. Black)

(S. W. Pan) 3
L.B's GALAXY 158 lb. (L. B. Chan) L.B's GALAXY 158 lb. (L. B. Chan) 3

Nine starters.
Won by length and half; length and half.
Time:—1.57.1. Part-mutuel:-Winner \$7.20. Places \$0.20; \$7.00; \$10.30.

PERTH PLATE (12TH RACE)

Second Section. Winner \$1,000; Second \$400; Third \$250. For Australing Ponies, Griffins of this Meeting. One Mile. Lan's RIVULET 152 lb.

Seth's LAFFAT THAT 152 lb. (W. H. S. Dan's) 2 Lady Northcote's DEVONIAN 155 lb.

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